



HI-WAYS

1951



Fugh Baker

Dear Hugh,

It's been lots of  
fun being with you  
these years in High  
School. Can't believe it's  
the end. Hugh you are  
a swell friend to have.  
I'm wishing you all the  
luck to a nice guy.

A friend,  
"Ann" Jk.

Hugh,

I really enjoy playing  
ball & being in school  
with you! I guess we will  
enjoy going to Korea together.  
But most of all I will  
remember our talk at  
Cullowhee.

Dwight

Hugh,

It's been really nice  
being in school with you  
all these years. especially  
playing football with you.  
Here's luck to a swell  
guy.

Charles

Dear Hugh,

It's been fun  
playing football with  
you these years. I  
guess it won't be  
long before we will  
be in the Army.  
Good luck to a fine  
guy.

Carl Jones

Baker,

Dear Hugh -

I'll always be  
disappointed that your  
editorial was not published  
in the S.P. It was good  
enough! Enjoyed watching  
you on the gridiron & the  
d'front these years. Best  
luck always.

ne Bryan



Dear Hugh,

Can you believe it?

Our four years of high school  
have just about ended. They  
have been fine years and I  
really don't think this place  
is as bad as we pretend.

It is a great honor for  
me to be the first to write  
in your annual.

Best wishes always,  
Gwen

Hugh

We had much fun  
this year. Those fishing  
trips. Especially that river  
trip. I do like those P.O. C's  
Enjoyed playing sports with you!  
Good luck always.

Marshall

Waher,

I have enjoyed  
these past 12 years of  
school with you. I  
know you'll succeed  
in any thing you do.  
Best wishes and lots of  
luck to you. Don't  
work too hard for  
your Uncle.

Trough  
H

Dear Hugh,

This has been a swell  
year. I have enjoyed  
being a senior with you.  
I sure did have a  
good time at your  
birthday.

Love,  
Mary Ann



Dearest Hugh,

My how time. four years I have passed in a hurry. It sure has been fun. Knowing & going to school with you. You have been the kind of person that all other people love to know. I know you will make a success in anything you do. Good luck & best wishes.

Love,

Katherine

Baker,

It sure was fun scrimaging with you last year even though you did run over us. We sure will miss you next year. Best of luck always to a swell guy.

"Johnny"

Dear Hugh,

I have certainly enjoyed going to school with you. Stay happy and carefree just like you are. You're a swell fellow and I hope you get the best of everything that life has to offer.

Love and Best Wishes,

Hugh

Here's wishing the best of everything to one who has helped me enjoy, and helped me in many ways, ~~in~~ my senior year. More fun.

Daddy A-

Hugh,

I also have enjoyed raising ---- in classes and at football practice with you. Best of luck.

Johnny Rot.



*Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-one*



# *Hi-Ways*

PUBLISHED BY THE SENIOR CLASS OF WADESBORO HIGH SCHOOL

Wadesboro, North Carolina

NANCY McQUAGUE, *Editor*

MARY ANNE WALL, *Business Manager*



## *School Song*

*Oh, hail to ole' Wadesboro High,  
Whose praises we ever will sing;  
Whose name, through all the ages,  
Will surely ever ring.*

*We, your sons and daughters true,  
Will cherish and honor you dearly,  
And try to bring you glory due.*

*So hail to thee!*

*Oh, hail to thee,  
Our Alma Mater!*

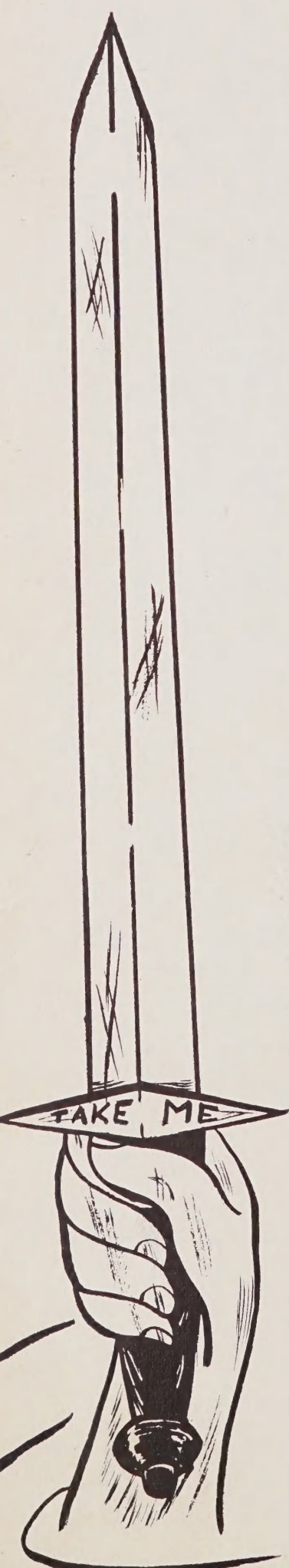


# *Our Castle*



## *Wadesboro High School*



A black and white line drawing of a hand holding a sword. The hand is positioned at the bottom left, with fingers wrapped around the hilt. The sword's guard is a diamond shape with the words "TAKE ME" written across it. The blade is long and pointed, with some cross-hatching for texture. The hilt has a pommel at the bottom. The background is plain.

## Foreword

### "Take me—cast me away."

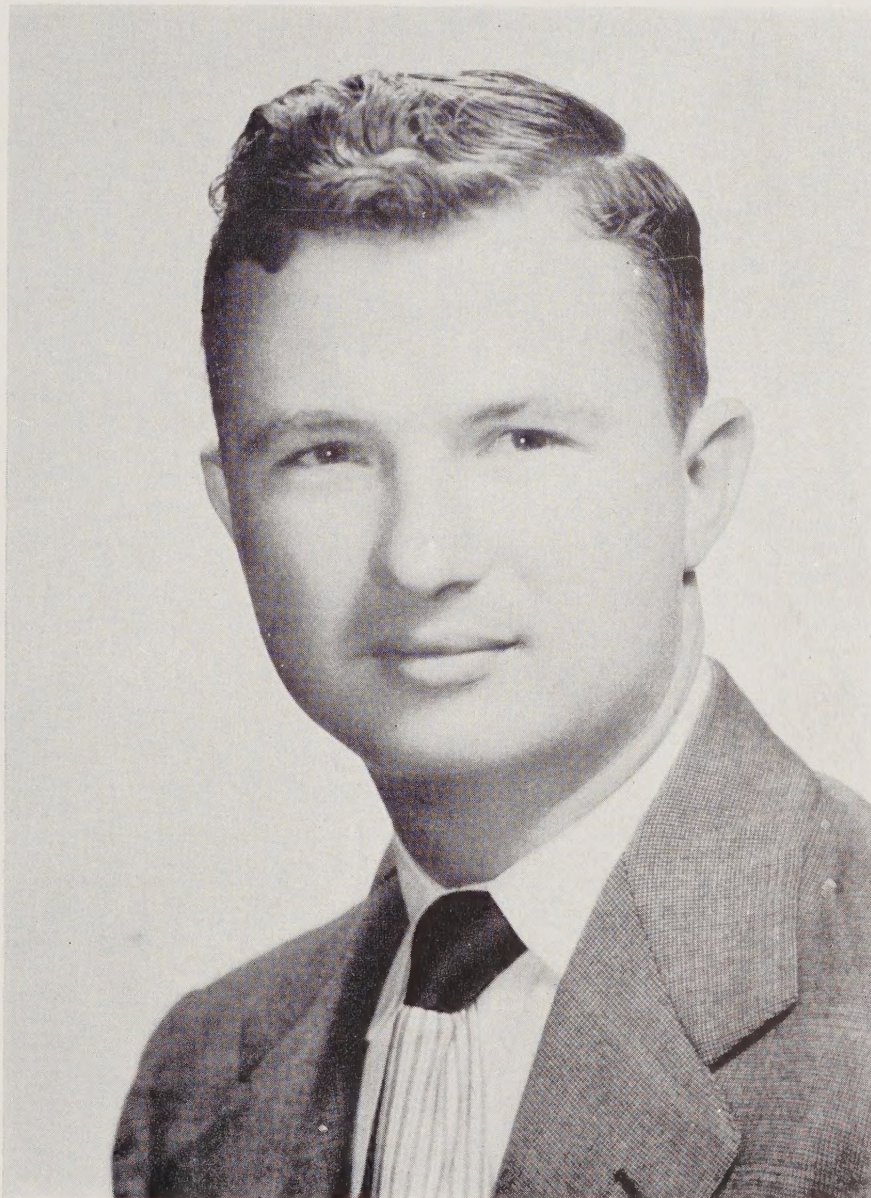
In high school, as in all other phases of our lives, we have to make many choices. We have to decide for ourselves which things to take and which to cast away. Because we are human, we make many mistakes; so naturally, many times after we have taken something, we find that it is entirely useless to us and must be discarded. In much this same manner King Arthur at one time took his famous sword, Excalibur, and then later cast it away.

Just as the knights of old tried to make the best choices in order to live up to their code of chivalry; so we are striving to make the choices which will aid us in our later lives.

In this 1951 edition of **Hi-Ways**, "Knighthood is in Flower."



# *Dedication*

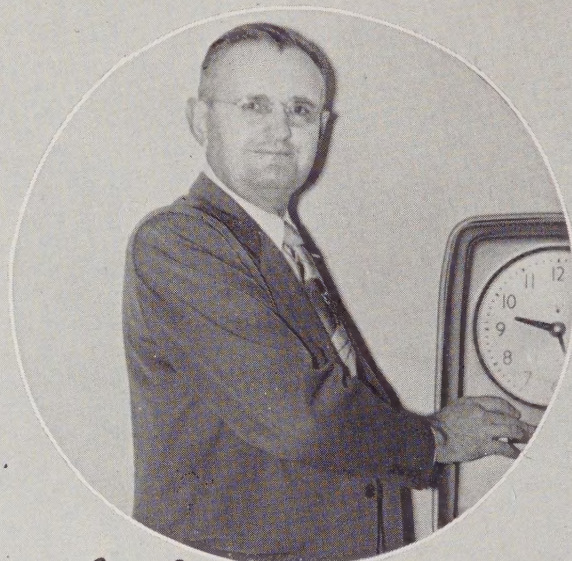


We, the Senior Class, do dedicate this, the 1951 edition of **Hi-Ways**, to our faithful friend and coach, Mr. Robert R. Hickman, who, had he lived during the days of Chivalry, would have been the "Perfect Knight".





*Mrs. Sara J. Farmer*  
*Commercial*

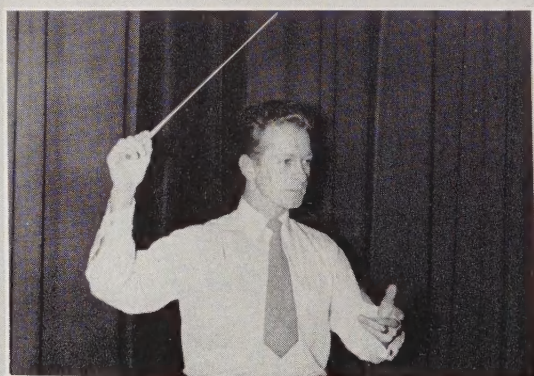


*J. C. Baucom*  
*Principal - Mathematics*

# *Our*



*Mrs. Gertrude C. Wall*  
*Home Economics*



*Harold W. Grant*  
*Band - History*



*Miss Frances De Lamar*  
*Spanish - English*

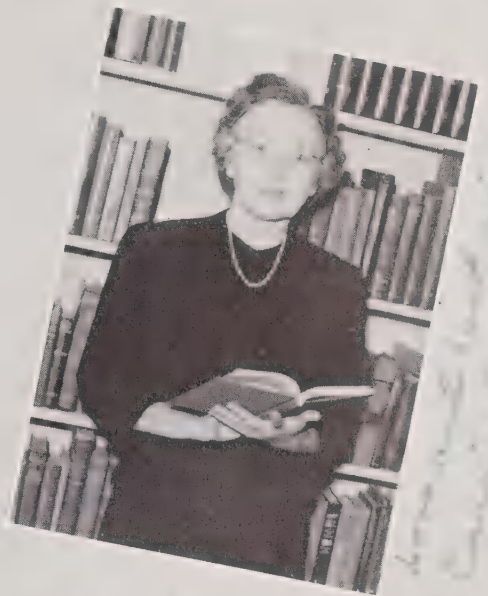


*J. Ray Shelton*  
*Coach - Sociology*





*W. L. Wildermuth  
Superintendent*

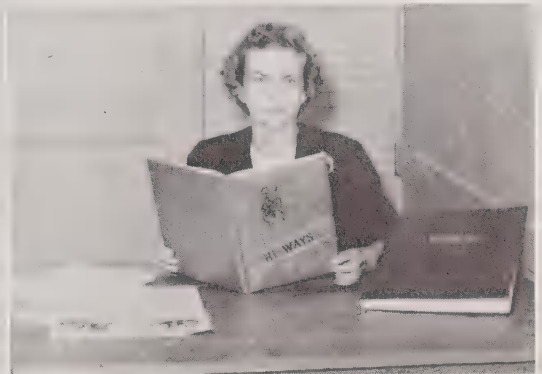


*Miss Carrie Sturgis  
Library - English Literature*

# Tutors



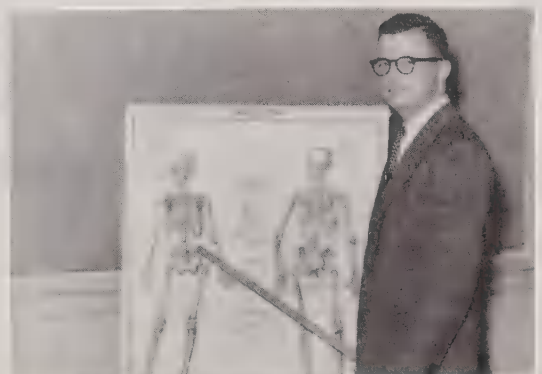
*Miss Hope Bailey  
Glee Club - Public School Music*



*Miss Hermine Caraway  
English - Publications*



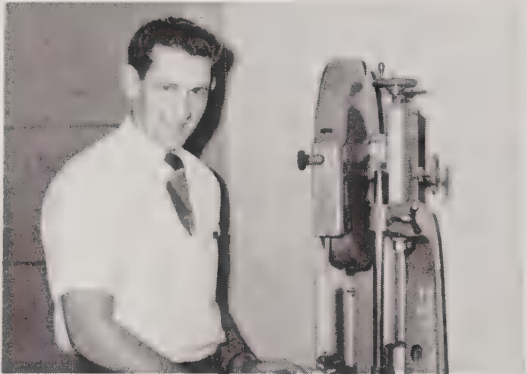
*Mrs. Martha M. D. Gaddy  
Latin*



*Robert R. Hickman  
Asst. Coach - Science*



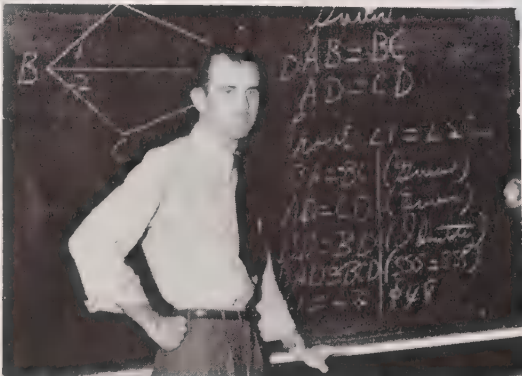
# Our Tutors



David R. Kephart  
Industrial Arts



Brantly B. York  
Science - History



William D. Todd  
Mathematics

When you get your P.D. in math.  
Call me. *W.D. Todd*



Miss Lillian Rivers  
Public School Art



Mrs. Velma B. Whelless  
Cafeteria



Miss Louise Morgan  
Secretary



After struggling up three long, hard steps, we, the Seniors, have finally reached our goal—knighthood.



## *Knights*



# Officers and Mascots



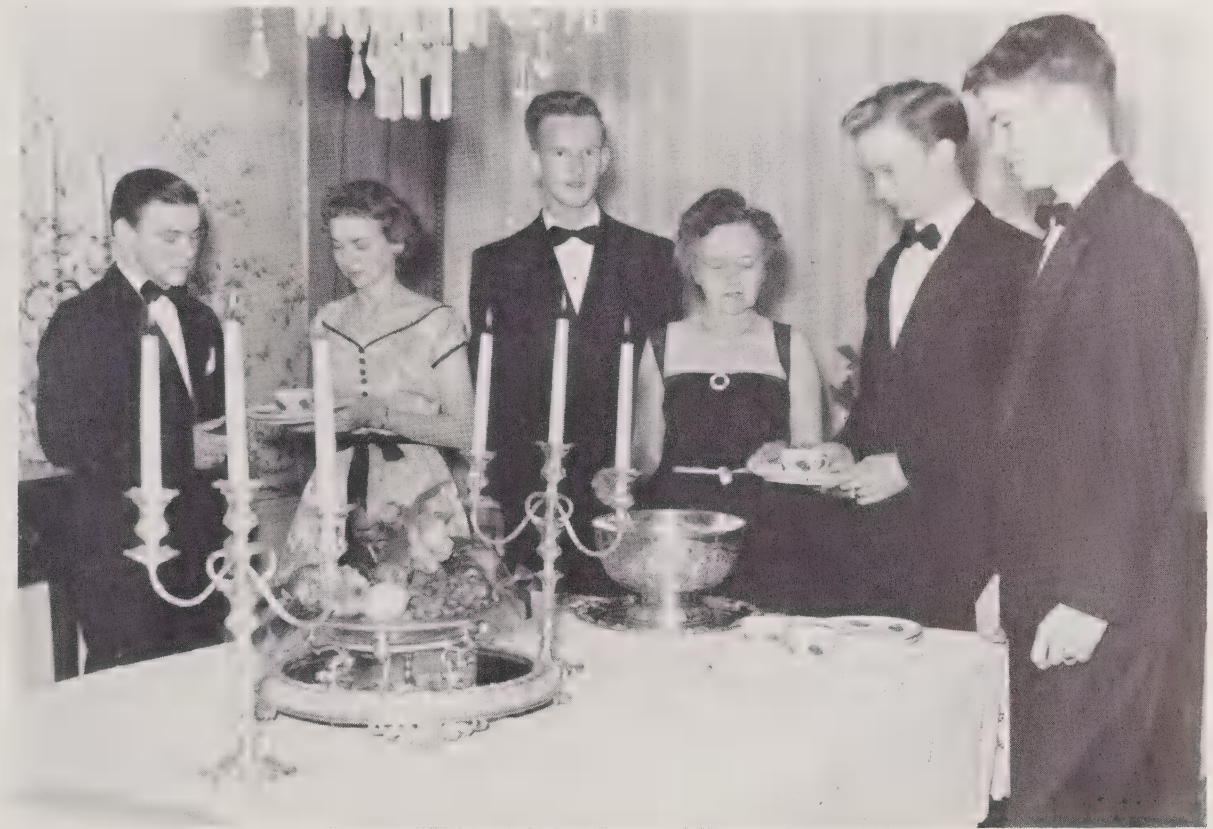
*Left to right: Dwight Burr, secretary; Albert Allen, president; Linda Goodman, mascot; Jimmy Bean, mascot; Fred Allen, treasurer; and Haywood Lee, vice-president.*

When a knight took his oath of chivalry, he promised to protect the Church and to defend the weak and oppressed. The essential virtues of each knight were gentleness, courage, courtesy, honesty, purity, generosity, hospitality, and loyalty to his companion knights. Because of these many virtues, a knight set an example for others.

As a leader in high school, a senior sets an example for those coming behind him. Therefore, those virtues which were so essential to a knight are also necessary for a senior.



# Officers and Advisers



*Left to right: Haywood Lee, vice-president; Miss Caraway, adviser; Albert Allen, president; Miss Sturgis, adviser; Dwight Burr, secretary; and Fred Allen, treasurer.*

For the first time in the history of Wadesboro High School, there were two senior home rooms. Under the leadership of their advisers, Miss Carrie Sturgis and Miss Hermine Caraway, the seniors were outstanding in quality as well as quantity.

With unusual ability, members of the senior class took part in all the extra-curricular activities of the school. Much talent in the fields of art, music, writing, acting, and public speaking was displayed by the "Seniors of '51".





### ALBERT CLARK ALLEN

"Ab"

*two point ..... going fishing ..... Hobo*  
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Class President 2, 4;  
Monogram Club 3, 4; Junior Play 3; *Hi-Ways* Staff 2;  
Superlative 4; Spanish Club 4; President 4; Annual Staff  
Play 4; Student Conference 4.

### FRED HUNTLEY ALLEN, JR.

"Freddy"

*debates ..... questions ..... N. C. Senate*  
Class Treasurer 4; Special Class Committee 4; Booster Club  
1, 2; Beta Club 3, 4; Junior Play 3; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4;  
*Student Prints* Staff 2, 3, 4; Assistant Sports Editor 3, 4;  
Superlative 4; Student Council 1; Student Conference 2;  
Spanish Club 2; Baseball Manager 1; Debating Team 2, 3;  
President 3; District Debating Champions 3; Annual Staff  
Play 4; Sports Publicity Director 2, 3, 4; Chief Page for  
N. C. Senate 4.

### SARAH HOLT ALLEN

"Sa"

*personality ..... East Wade ..... Miss Anson County*  
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Special Class Committee 4; Football  
Sponsor 3, 4; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Beta Club 3, 4;  
Monogram Club 4; Usher Junior Play 3; *Hi-Ways* Staff 2;  
*Student Prints* Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Exchange Editor 4; Super-  
lative 4; Spanish Club 4; Secretary 4; Annual Staff Play 4;  
Anson County Bicentennial Queen 3.

### BOBBY HOYLE BAKER

"Bobby"

*Charlotte ..... handsome ..... asst. manager*  
Basketball 1; Glee Club 4; Safety Patrol 1, 2.

### HUGH HUNTLEY BAKER

"Hugh"

*Choo Choo, Jr. ..... Lib ..... cute remarks*  
Football 3, 4; Basketball 3; Class President 1; Special Class  
Committee 4; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Vice-  
President 4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Superlative 4; Student  
Conference 1; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain 4.

### ANNE BRYAN BOWMAN

"Annie Bee"

*Death Chariot ..... poetry ..... figure*  
Class Secretary and Treasurer 3; Class Historian 4; Booster  
Club 1, 2, 3; Beta Club 3, 4; Junior Play 3; *Student Prints*  
Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Superlative 4; Glee Club 3; Student Council  
4; Student Conference 1, 2; Girls' State 3; Member of N. C.  
Scholastic Press Institute 4; D. A. R. Good Citizenship  
Pilgrim 4.

### MARGARET BRADLEY BURCH

"Mog"

*sweet ..... music ..... men*  
Special Class Committee 4; Football Sponsor 2; Booster Club  
1, 2, 3, 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Usher Junior Play 3; *Hi-Ways*  
Staff 1, 2; *Student Prints* Staff 4; Student Conference 4.

### MARGARET HEARN BURNS

"Margaret"

*troubles ..... likable ..... neat*



**DWIGHT LINCOLN BURR****"Dwight"**

*singing* ..... Margaret ..... *slim*  
 Football 3, 4; Manager 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 2, 3; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 4; Special Committee Junior Play 3; Class Secretary 4.

**JOSEPH PARKER BURROUGHS** ----- **"Joe"**

*debating* ..... Student Prints ..... *curfew*  
 Class President 1, 3; Special Class Committee 4; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Junior Play 3; *Student Prints* Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Assistant Editor 3; Editor 4; Superlative 4; Marshal 1, 2, 3; Student Conference 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 4; Debating Team 2, 3; District Debating Champions 3; Member of N. C. Scholastic Press Institute 4; Scholastic Writer's Award 3; Beta Club Writer's Award 3, 4; Beta Club Play 4.

**CLAUDIA BEAUTELLE CARPENTER** **"Claudia"**

*friendly* ..... *chatterbox* ..... *trip to Greensboro*  
 Glee Club 3, 4; Usher Junior Play 3.

**FRANCIS ELWYN CARTER****"Elwyn"**

*tall* ..... *baseball* ..... *smile*  
 Football 1, 2; Monogram Club 1, 2; Glee Club 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4.

**KATHARINE SEAGLE CHILDS****"Kat"**

*frisky* ..... *basketball* ..... *canary voice*  
 Basketball 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 4; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Junior Play 3; *Hi-Ways* Staff 2; *Student Prints* Staff 2, 3, 4; Assistant Business Manager 3; Business Manager 4; Superlative 4; Glee Club 3; Secretary 3; Student Conference 2; Member of N. C. Scholastic Press Institute 4; Beta Club Play 4.

**JAMES HAROLD COCKMAN****"Harold"**

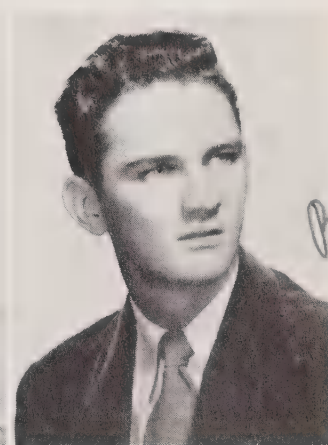
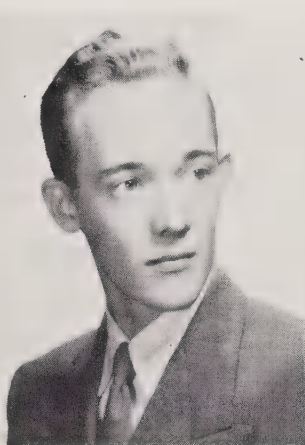
*Glee Club* ..... *chevrolet truck* ..... *candy*  
 Football 2, 3; Class Secretary and Treasurer 2; Monogram Club 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Spanish Club 4; Baseball 1.

**HIRAM BAXTER COGGIN****"Baxter"**

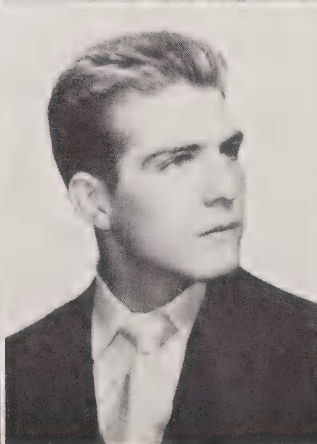
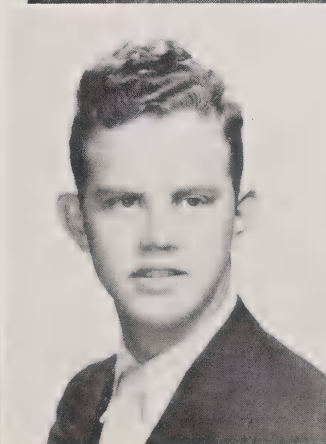
*Joy* ..... *dancing* ..... *plumber*  
 Football 1; Basketball 1; Booster Club 1; Junior Play 3; Superlative 4; Safety Patrol 4; Student Conference 3; Spanish Club 4; Band 4.

**MARY HELEN COLEY****"Mary Helen"**

*quiet* ..... *Beta Club* ..... *blush*  
 Beta Club 3, 4; Secretary and Treasurer 4.



*Best of luck  
Elwyn*







### BENJAMIN McLAUCHLIN COVINGTON "Ben"

*piano ..... Fire Dragon ..... originality*  
 Special Class Committee 4; Class Testator 4; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Junior Play 3; *Student Prints* Staff 3, 4; Superlative 4; Glee Club Accompanist 3, 4; Marshal 3; Student Conference 2, 3; Spanish Club 4; Debating Team 2, 3; Member of N. C. Scholastic Press Institute 4; Assembly Pianist 3, 4; Beta Club Play 4.

### FRANK LITTLE DAVIS

"Frank"

*Crosley ..... Mr. Fixit ..... Drive-In*  
 Football Manager 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Stage Manager, Junior Play 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 4; *Hi-Ways* Staff 4; Annual Staff Play 4.

### ROGER PARSONS DAVIS

"Roger"

*tall ..... dark ..... agreeable*  
 D. E. Club 3.

### SHELTON BENNETT FAULKNER

"Bennett"

*movies ..... helpful ..... A-Model*  
 Basketball 3.

### MARY CONYERS GLASCOCK

"Mae"

*vivacious ..... Buick ..... Wake Forest*  
 Florence High School 1; Class Vice-President 2; Football Sponsor 2; Booster Club 2, 3; *Student Prints* Staff 3; Majorette 4.

### HOWZE McLENDON HARDISON

"Mac"

*hunting ..... good looking ..... clothes*  
 Class Treasurer 2; Special Class Committee 4; Superlative 4; Spanish Club 4.

### JUNIOR JACKSON HARRINGTON

"Watt"

*vim ..... vigor ..... girls*  
 Cheerleader 4; Football 2, 3; Basketball 2, 3; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3.

### CHARLES WILLIAM HARRINGTON "Charles"

*car ..... pleasing disposition ..... laugh*  
 Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Manager 1; Monogram Club 3, 4; *Student Prints* Staff 2; Baseball 1; Manager 4; George Washington High School, Danville, Virginia 3.



**HERBERT CLARENCE HASTY****"H. C."**

*quiet* ..... *happy-go-lucky* ..... *humor*  
 J. V. Football 1, 2; Safety Patrol 1, 2, 3; D. E. Club 3.

**LENA MAE HOUGH****"Lena"**

*Kat House* ..... *Dr. Pepper* ..... *peroxide*

**DOSSIE HENRY HEAVENER, JR.****"Dossie"**

*raven locks* ..... *voice* ..... *wife*  
 Football 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; President 3; Booster  
 Club 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Special Committee  
 Junior Play 3.

**CARL THOMAS JARRELL****"Carl"**

*wild jokes* ..... *women* ..... *Lover's Lane*  
 Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2; Beta Club 3, 4; Monogram  
 Club 3, 4; *Hi-Ways* Staff 3; Spanish Club 4.

**ANN FAULKNER HELMS****"Ann"**

*pretty* ..... *Eagle's* ..... *friendly*  
 Class Vice-President 1.

**JERRY EDWARD LEACH****"Jerry"**

*helpful* ..... *courteous* ..... *neat*  
 Monogram Club 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; D. E. Club 3.

**JIMMY MARTIN HOUGH****"Jimmy"**

*cute* ..... *cheerleader* ..... *Nancy Jane*  
 Chief Cheerleader 4; Football Manager 1, 2, 3; Class Presi-  
 dent 2; Booster Club 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Spanish Club  
 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4.

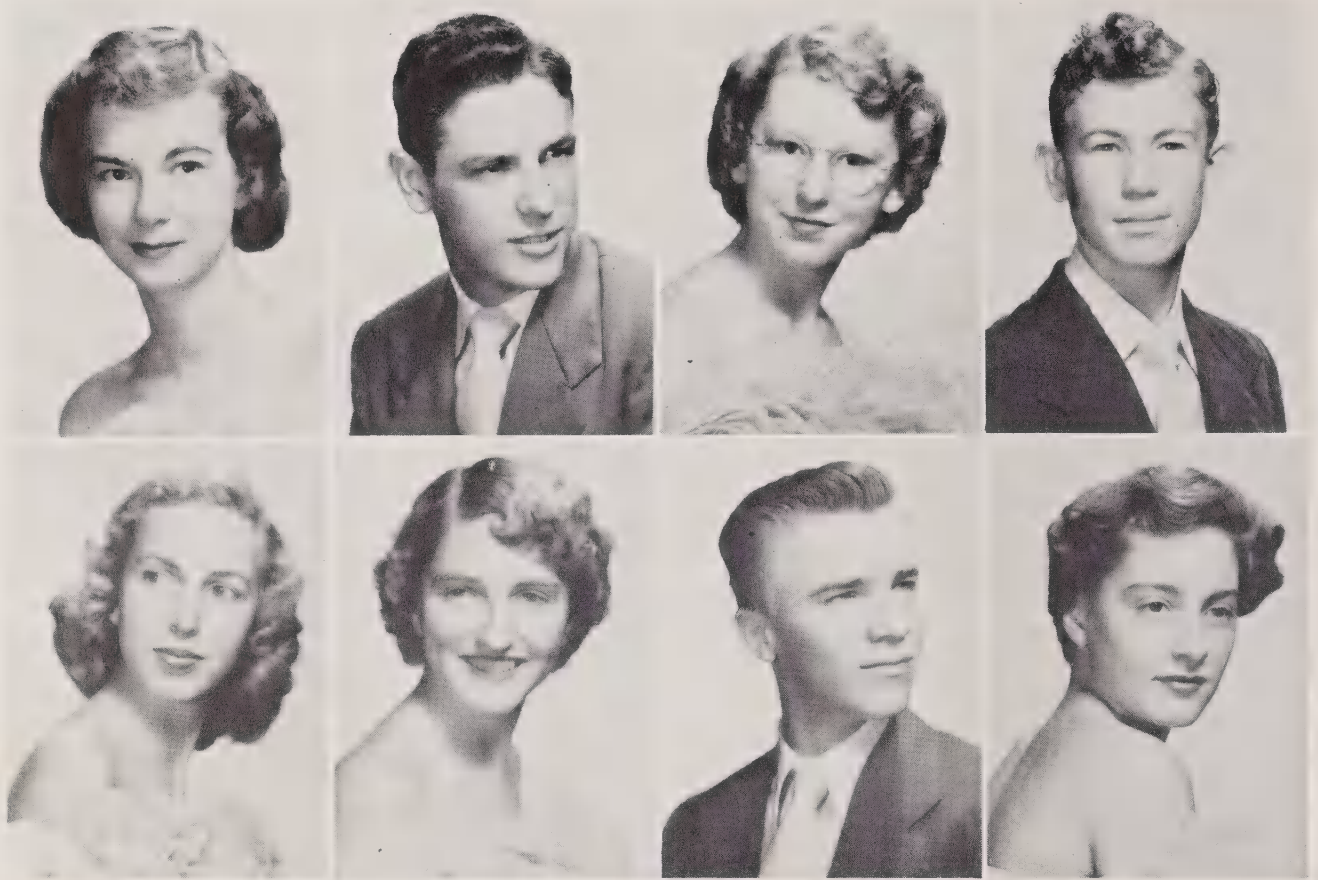
**HENRY HAYWOOD LEE****"Haywood"**

*picture man* ..... *bass voice* ..... *Studebaker*  
 Class Vice-President 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Baseball  
 2, 3, 4; D. E. Club 3.



*Lena,*  
*"Lena"*





### BETSY BRANDON LILES

"Betsy"

*dancing ..... cute ..... columns*  
 Special Class Committee 4; Class Prophet 4; Football Sponsor 2, 4; Booster Club 1, 2, 3; Beta Club 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Junior Play 3; *Hi-Ways* Staff 1, 2, 3; *Student Prints* Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Assistant Editor 4; Superlative 4; Debating Team 2, 3; Member of N. C. Scholastic Press Institute 4; Radio Class 2; Beta Club Play 4.

### FRED LOVE MANGUM

"Fred"

*sociable ..... sports ..... co-operative*  
 Football 2, 3, 4; Manager 1; Class Vice-President 1; Special Class Committee 4; Monogram Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary 2; Vice-President 3; President 4; *Student Prints* Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Assistant Sports Editor 1, 2; Sports Editor 3, 4; Bus Driver 3, 4; Spanish Club 4; Baseball Manager 1; Basketball 4; Student Conference 4; Citizenship Cup 3.

### GWENDOLYN ESTHER MAPLES

"Gwen"

*green Plymouth ..... golf course ..... flame*  
 Basketball Manager 2, 3, 4; Special Class Committee 4; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 3; Monogram Club 3, 4; Special Committee Junior Play 3; *Student Prints* Staff 3, 4; Circulation Manager 4; Superlative 4; Student Council 3, 4; Secretary and Treasurer 4; Student Conference 3.

### RAY WILSON MARTIN

"Ray"

*Curve-In ..... ready smile ..... shorty*  
 Claxton, Georgia 1; Hinesville, Georgia 2.

### NANCY AILEEN McQUAGUE

"Nan"

*annual ..... brains ..... basketball*  
 Basketball 2, 3, 4; Football Sponsor 2; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Publicity Committee Chairman 2; Beta Club 3, 4; President 4; Reporter County Beta Club 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Junior Play 3; *Hi-Ways* Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Assistant Editor 3; Editor 4; *Student Prints* Staff 2, 3, 4; Superlative 4; Glee Club 1; Marshal 1, 2, 3; Chief Marshal 3; Student Conference 2, 3; Girls' State 3; Speaker of House 3; Spanish Club 4; Annual Staff Play 4; Member of N. C. Scholastic Press Institute 3, 4; Vice-President 3; Speaker for Debates 3; Beta Club Play 4.

### MARTHA ELIZABETH McRAE

"Pee Wee"

*petite ..... jokes ..... Ford*  
 Booster Club 1, 2, 3; Beta Club 3, 4; Junior Play 3; *Student Prints* Staff 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 2; Student Conference 3.

### FREDERICK TIBETT MEEKS

"Tibett"

*Ansonia ..... little bit ..... cute*  
 Cheerleader 3; Football Manager 1, 2; Booster Club 3; Spanish Club 4; Baseball Manager 1.

### JOYCE HELEN MORTON

"Joy"

*wedding bells ..... looks ..... accent*  
 Morven 1; Cheerleader 4; Special Class Committee 4; Football Sponsor 3; Booster Club 2; Monogram Club 4; Assistant Editor of *Hi-Ways* 4; Superlative 4; Spanish Club 4; Annual Staff Play 4; Member of N. C. Scholastic Press Institute 4.



**JOHN MILLS MULDROW****"John"***Anne ..... Maner and Murray ..... polite***JOHN ALBERT RATLIFF, JR.****"Johnny"***cartoons ..... witty ..... new car*Football 3, 4; Booster Club 3, 4; Monogram Club 4; Cartoonist for *Student Prints* 4; Annual Staff Play 4; Spanish Club 4; President Math Club 4; Student Conference 4.**MARSHALL CLYDE RATLIFF, JR.****"Leach"***wrong foot ..... Student Council ..... good sport*

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 3, 4; Class Vice-President 3; Special Class Committee 4; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Junior Play 3; Superlative 4; Student Council 3, 4; President 4; Student Conference 1, 3; Spanish Club 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Optimist Bowl 4; Shrine Bowl 4.

**WILLIAM ERWIN RAYLE****"Erwin"***Ned ..... McBride's ..... drawl***MILTON KENNETH ROGERS****"Buddy"***football ..... Rockingham ..... Optimist Bowl*

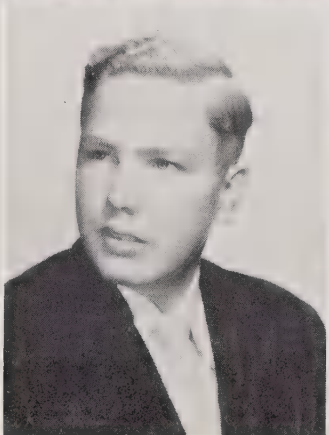
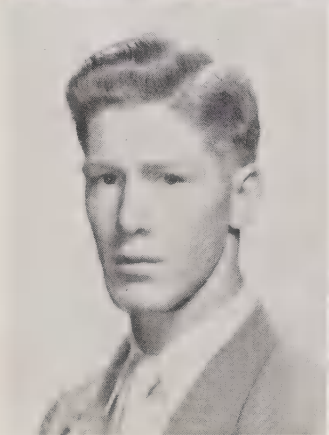
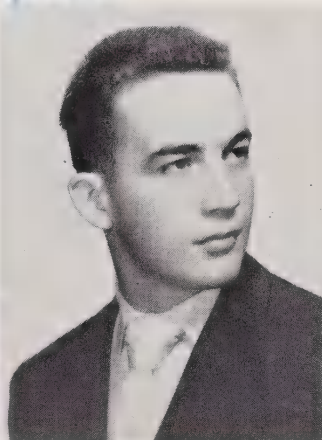
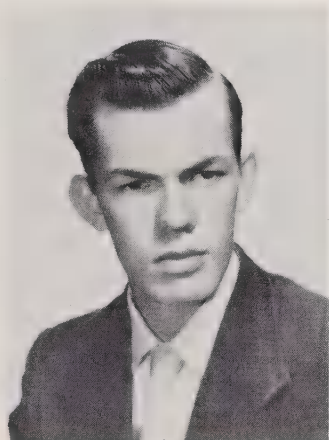
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 3, 4; Spanish Club 3; Vice-President 3; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Safety Patrol 1, 2; Student Council 2; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Optimist Bowl 4.

**OLIN DUDLEY SCOTT****"Unk"***good-natured ..... Mustangs ..... Cool*

Football 2, 3; Football Manager 4; Booster Club 4; Student Council 3; Spanish Club 4; Baseball 2; Baseball Manager 3, 4.

**MARGARET VIRGINIA SELLARS****"Margaret"***nice ..... tall ..... dignified*

Booster Club 4; Glee Club 2.

**BILLY JOE TUCKER****"Billy Joe"***Thrift-Loan ..... Jr. Sr. ..... speeder*Booster Club 1; Beta Club 3, 4; *Hi-Ways* Staff 3, 4; Student Conference 1; Stage Manager Annual Staff Play 4; D. E. Club 3; Beta Club Play 4.





**JAMES FLOYD TURNER, JR.**

**"Jimmy"**

*good looking ..... bashful ..... driving*

**BETTY JO TYSON**

**"Betty Jo"**

*diets ..... friendly ..... long hair*  
Polkton High School 1; Glee Club 2; Spanish Club 3.

**JAMES EBBIE VICK**

**"Jimmy"**

*dream man ..... physique ..... congenial*  
Football 2, 3, 4; Booster Club 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4;  
Superlative 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Student Council 4; Baseball  
1, 2, 3, 4.

**ELMA JEANNE WAGONER**

**"Elmo"**

*crazy ..... Booster Club ..... bus trips*  
Basketball 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 4; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4;  
President 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Junior Play 3; *Hi-Ways* Staff  
4; Joke Editor *Student Prints* 4; Superlative 4; Glee Club  
1, 2; Annual Staff Play 4; Student Conference 4; Beta Club  
Play 4.

**MARY ANNE WALL**

**"Anne"**

*good sport ..... money ..... pleasingly plump*

Basketball 1, 2; Special Class Committee 4; Booster Club  
1, 2; Beta Club 3, 4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Secretary  
and Treasurer 4; Junior Play 3; Assistant Business Manager  
of *Hi-Ways* 3; Business Manager 4; *Student Prints* Staff  
1, 2; Superlative 4; Student Council 2; Student Conference  
2, 3; Annual Staff Play 4; Member of N. C. Scholastic  
Press Institute 4; Football Sponsor 3.

**RICHARD SIDNEY WHELESS**

**"Dick"**

*Barbara ..... telephone poles ..... hotel*  
Ansonville High School 1.

**LYDIA LORENE WILLIAMS**

**"Rene"**

*voice ..... Bobby ..... Belk's*  
Glee Club 2; Student Council 1; Special Committee Junior  
Play 3; D. E. Club 3.





ANNE BRYAN BOWMAN  
Historian

In a meeting of the senior class in November, 1950, we seniors selected our class flower, colors, song, and motto. The lavender sweetpea is our flower; lavender and white are our colors; our song, written to the tune of Harbor Lights, has the following words:

*We will remember*

*Our dear old high school days forever.  
The class of fifty-one,  
Its work has just begun.*

*Our motto, we'll apply,*

*To climb the ladder as we build it high,  
And our ideals will lead  
Our world from all its greed.*

*This class will ever be a beacon shining bright,  
And will uphold in all its dealings, God's great  
light.*

*Now as we leave our friends,*

*And all the fun we've had in high school ends,  
Time out to say goodbye  
To dear old Wadesboro High.*

**Our motto is: "We build the ladder by which we climb."**

By now our ladder has grown rather tall. Let us think back—We planted the two uprights before we began school. We put in the first rung under the guidance of our first head carpenters, Mrs. Joe M. Liles, Mrs. Lee Ashcraft, and Miss Ann Little Masemore.

The second rung was hammered in under the capable direction of Mrs. Emily McKinnon and Miss Elizabeth Webb.

Our ladder grew two rungs taller under the able leadership of Miss Julia Cameron, Mrs. Lee Ashcraft, Miss Bertie Patterson, Miss Fannie Dunlap, and Miss Alice Lampley. But before the completion of the fourth rung, two of our young fellow

## Music From the Minstrels

*(When knighthood was in flower, roving minstrels entertained the people by relating in song interesting events which had happened from time to time. Interesting events which happened to the class of 1951 are inscribed here.)*

builders, Joe Coleman and Jerry Brower, slipped and fell from our ladder of life.

Miss Pauline Pinkston, Mrs. H. E. Allen, Mrs. W. W. Bennett, Miss Nora Boggan, Mrs. W. J. Gulledge, and Miss Fannie Winfree patiently aided us in constructing the next three rungs. But, by now, we were doing more of the building by ourselves, and the going was a little tougher. Again, we were greatly saddened when Joe Pegram, another fellow-builder, fatefully slipped and fell from our ladder of achievement.

And then, with difficulty, we hammered home the rung which we then thought was the strongest and best. Miss Mary Mitchell and Miss Nancy Gregory helped us drive in this important round. At this stage of construction, six new young carpenters—Lorene Williams, Barbara Turner, Mary Sue Harper, H. C. Hasty, Dwight Burr, and William Hanna—brought their hammers and nails and joined our wrecking crew. Meanwhile, Jimmy Brower, Billy Caulder, Lloyd Evans, Jason Honeycutt, William Hanna, and Bill Ray descended our ladder and affiliated themselves with other working crews. But since then Bill Ray has faithfully returned to the old crew and is hammering harder than ever.

As we stepped up on our new eighth rung and looked down, we were proud of our job. Joe Burroughs had turned out to be our best carpenter in driving in the nails of scholarship. Anne Bryan Bowman and Nancy McQuague rated second and third. And then we looked up into the empty space ahead and, seeing how much farther we had to climb, we promptly returned to our construction job with renewed determination to realize the goal of our ambition.

The work was much harder now; the atmosphere was thinner as we climbed higher, but we were more skilled and could take more time off from our labor for extras. The more industrious members of our crew had part-time jobs on *The Student Prints* and *Hi-Ways* staffs, played on ball teams and belonged to various clubs. We finished the ninth and tenth rungs under Mrs. Gertrude Wall, Miss Edna Giesecking, Mr. Douglas Hall, Mrs. Roy Gaddy, Miss Mary Alice Turner, Coach Ray Shelton, Miss Hermine Caraway, Miss Anne Carter,

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*Most Original*  
*Nancy McQuaque - Ben Covington*

*Best Personality*  
*Albert Allen - Sarah Allen*



*Best Looking - Prettiest*  
*Mac Hardison - Joyce Morton*



# *The Lords*



*Best Sport*

*Marshall Ratliffe - Anne Wall*



*Most Likely to Succeed*  
*Nancy McQuaque - Joe Burroughs*

*Most Athletic*  
*Katharine Childs - Marshall Ratliffe*



*Best Physique - Figure*

*James Vick - Anne Bowman*



*Best - All - Round*

*Marshall Ratliffe - Anne Wall*

*Most Popular*

*Marshall Ratliffe - Sarah Allen*



*and Ladies*



*Cutest*

*Hugh Baker - Betsy Liles*



*Most Dependable*

*Haney McQuague - Joe Burroughs*



*Best Dressed*

*Joyce Morton - Mae Hardison*



# *The Lords and Ladies*



*Wittiest*  
*Hugh Baker - Jeanne Wagoner*



*Most Studious*  
*Nancy McQuague - Joe Burroughs*



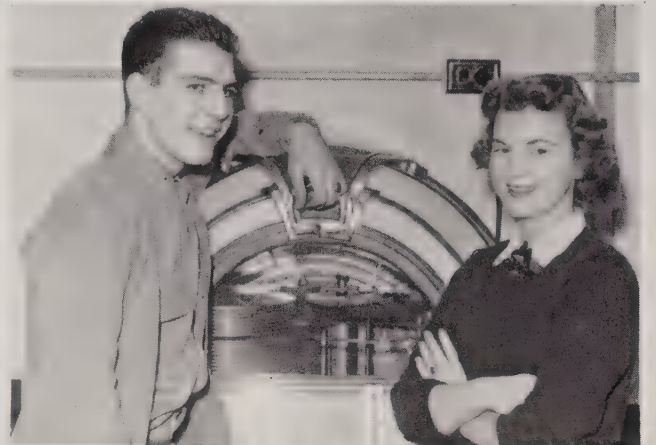
*Most Courteous*  
*Joe Burroughs - Gwen Maples*



*Most Sincere*  
*Katharine Childs - Fred Allen*



*Most Talented*  
*Ben Covington - Nancy McQuague*



*Best Dancer*  
*Baxter Coggin - Betsy Liles*



BETSY LILES  
*Prophet*

It was eight and time for "Tripalong". Buckling on my six guns and donning my ten gallon, I mounted an armchair and was soon tee-viewing old "Trip" as he galloped across my 16-inch screen.

I had just gotten comfortably seated in the armchair when I arose with alacrity. As I heard the announcer sing out, "Trippy's adventures are brought to you by Fred Allen's, Incorporated, the greatest furniture store on the globe (with branch departments on the moon)," I was amazed as I realized that this great enterpriser was one of my '51 classmates out of the dim past. As Tripalong charged off the screen, hustling the bad men to the sheriff, the name of the costume designer flashed across the screen. Betty Jo Tyson (another 51'er) designed the cowboy outfits, including the diamond-studded holster in which "Trip" pocketed his firing arm. Also, Erwin Rayle, who had become world famous for the invention of wristwatch TV sets; was the electrical engineer for this great television program.

By this time I had bounded from my armchair (placed at the prescribed fifteen feet) and was almost crouching by the television set in order to believe my eyes. Here, parading in front of me and the world, were my classmates of the class of 1951—now famous celebrities and world personalities.

After a station break I was taken behind the scenes to John Hopkins Hospital for an enlightening program on the skills of surgery. The hospital's top surgeons, Dr. Frank Davis and Dr. Anne Bryan Bowman, were just completing an operation and were replacing their scalpels as the TV cameras clicked away. (Both guaranteed that they cut painlessly.) As they explained the intricacies of their skill, they introduced their "right hands", nurses Joyce Morton and Mae Glascock, and Occupational Therapist Nancy McQuague. Nancy had a pot of glue in one hand and tatting in the other as she smiled for the cameras and explained how she kept the patient happy. "Also, famous stars visit the hospital," she explained. "Only last week Mac

## Merlin's Meditations

*(Merlin, King Arthur's mystic counselor, had magical powers by which he could foretell things to come. Here, we are foretold things for the seniors.)*

Hardison and Jimmy Hough, the two darlings of movieland, were here!"

"Ah-h-h," I mused, "what a famous and shiny name the class of '51 has made for itself in this modern world." And just as I adjusted my spectacles, especially designed for relieving kinescope cross-eyes, I opened my eyes in delight to see Watt "Twinkle Toes" Harrington dance across my screen. As Watt—another Fred Astaire—waltzed, his orchestra, "The Harrington Harmonceers", struck up a top tune while the world famous trio (three more of the class of '51), Cockman, Burr, and Heavener, brought cheers from the teevee audience.

"And now," booms the announcer, "the Baxter Coggin Plumbing Company, the maker of those H-Bomb pipes (guaranteed to resist rust, dust, and radioactivity) presents the Sports Parade." And with that, we TV viewers were whisked away to the Atomic Bowl, the greatest football classic of the world. I could see Coach Fred "Split-T" Mangum pacing the sidelines nervously while the three star players, Marshall Ratliffe, Buddy Rogers, and Carl Jarrell were gunning for a touchdown. A cheer arose from the stands as the TD was made and six more points were rolled up on the scoreboard. Down on the sidelines, ace photographer, Haywood Lee, took action shots of the thrilling game while several top newspaper men, Bennett Faulkner, Charles Harrington, Jerry Leach, and John Muldrow were jotting down notes.

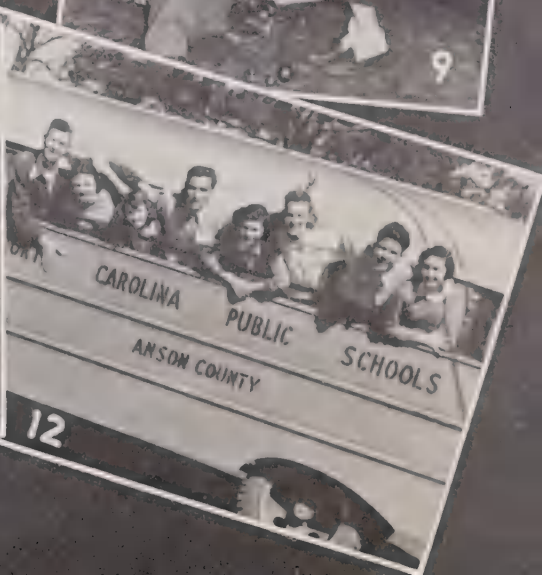
The next program appearing on my set was "The Bill Ray Show", the funniest, zanniest show of the century. This famous comedian keeps his audience in stitches with his wild jokes and humorous comments. Bill has often told his audience that he owed his success to Billy Joe Tucker of the "You Spend It—We Lend It" Finance Company. It seems Bill touched Billy Joe for a small amount, and generous Mr. Tucker gambled and financed Bill's tee vee show which became such a success. I was laughing so hard that I almost failed to catch the name of the sponsor—the Baker Limousine Company. Incidentally the Baker Limousine comes in the hot rod and strip down models and can be converted into a rocket ship for interplanet visits. Of course, the president of this great company is Hugh Baker, who has six skillful vice-

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1. Mascots.
2. Bicycle built for two!
3. Queen of 1899!!!
4. The Gang!!
5. What is it???
6. Bicentennial performers.
7. Newly-Weds!!
8. Dignified Seniors???
9. Under the mistletoe.
10. Car trouble.
11. Junior Play.
12. Ye olde school bus!!!



We have not yet achieved our goal.  
As apprentices, pages, and squires we,  
the underclassmen, are still striving  
for knighthood.



## *Striving for Knighthood*



# *Juniors*



*Left to right: Peggy Jean Mayhew, president; Nancy Jane Allen, treasurer; Peggy Joyce Odom, secretary; and Jackie Ray Cockman, vice-president.*

Under the direction of Miss Frances DeLamar and Mrs. Sara Farmer, the Juniors had a very active and profitable year. The class operated a concessions stand at the home football games and conducted a magazine sale to raise needed funds. They went on record by selling more magazines than any previous class had sold.

Many Juniors were outstanding in the extracurricular activities in which they participated. The chief majorette, the Booster queen, the Christmas Festival queen, a co-captain of the basketball team, and the new vice-president of the N. C. S. P. I. were all members of the Junior Class. The climax of the year, however, was the Junior-Senior banquet held on May 4, at the Anson County Country Club.

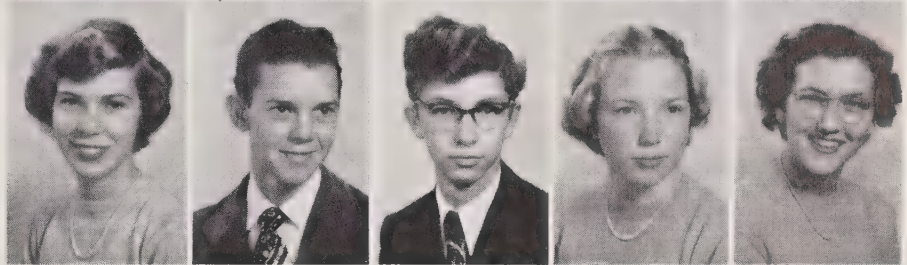


# *Juniors*

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NANCY JANE ALLEN  
CAROLYN AUSTIN  
BETTY LOU BARBER  
PAT BEACHUM



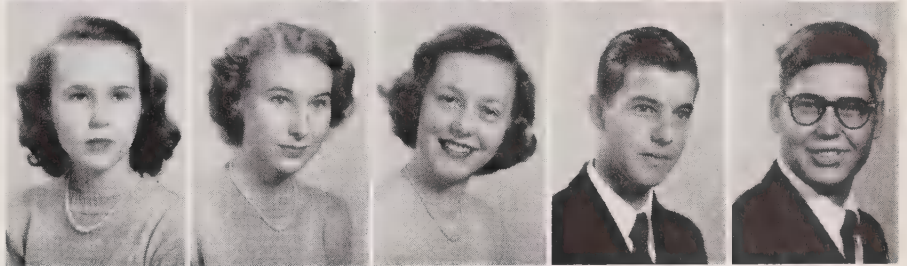
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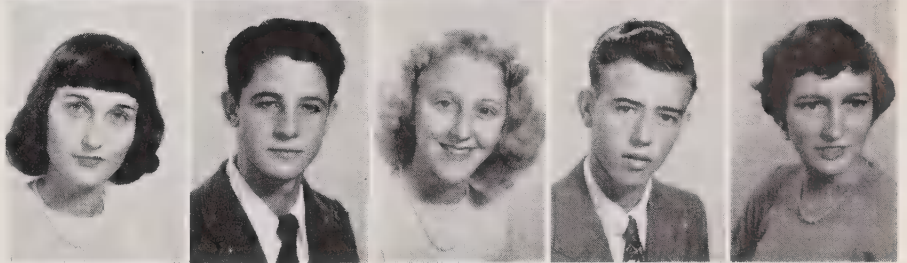
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PHYLLIS GANTT  
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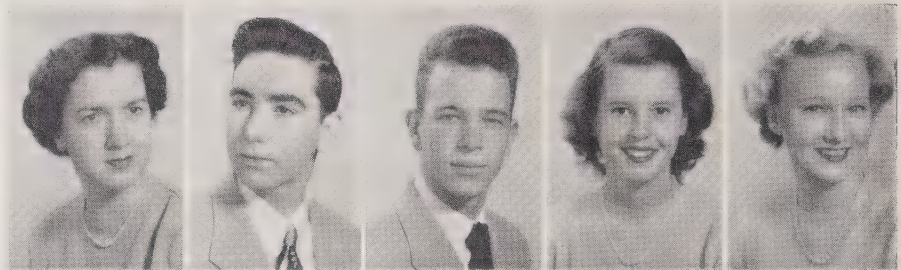
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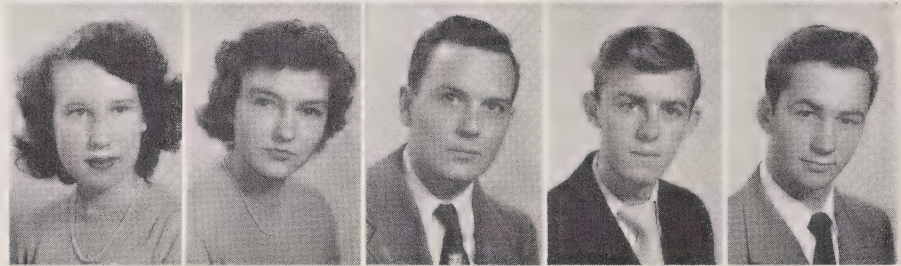


# *Juniors*

NELL JARMAN  
 JACK JENKINS  
 BUDDY LILES  
 MARY JANE LILES  
 FOYE LOWE



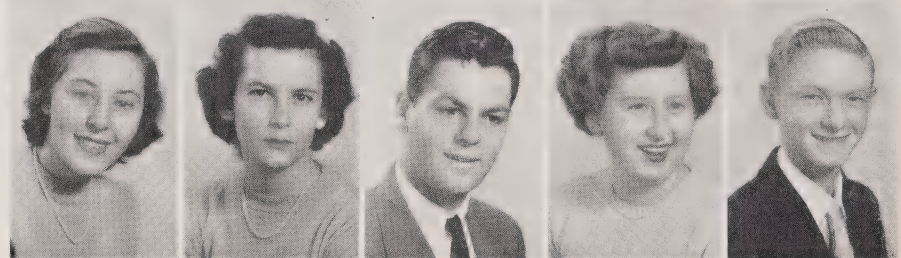
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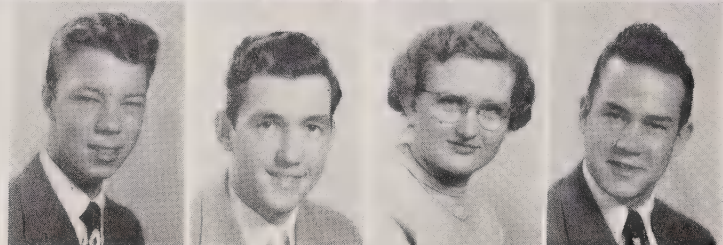
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 DOUGLAS SELLARS  
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 JACK THOMAS  
 LOUISE THREADGILL  
 ROBERT WEBB



# *Sophomores*



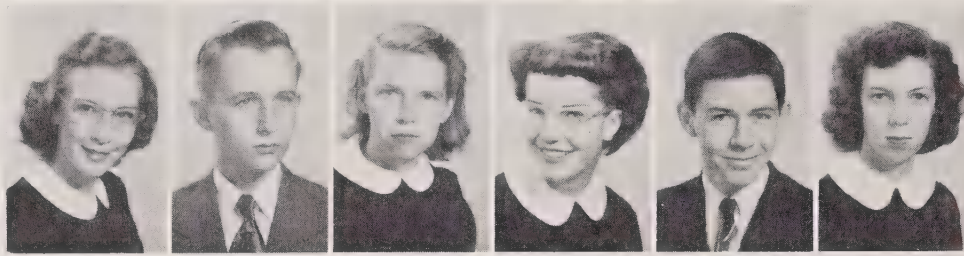
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After a year of high school life the sophomores had become accustomed to the "change" and began participating actively in sports, on the annual and paper staffs, in band, cheerleading, and the clubs for which they were eligible.

Under the guidance of Mr. William Todd, Mr. Harold Grant, and Mr. Robert Hickman, they again required three homerooms, and were the first to occupy the new wing of the high school building.



# Sophomores



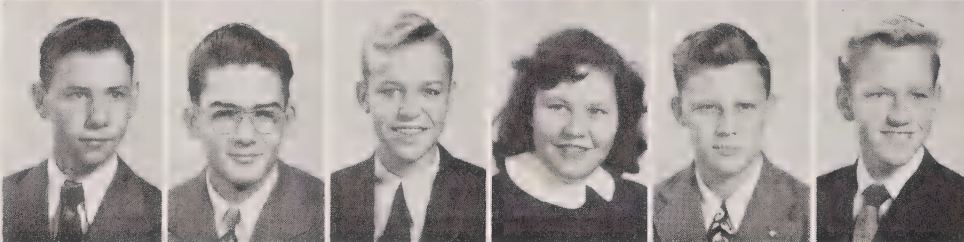
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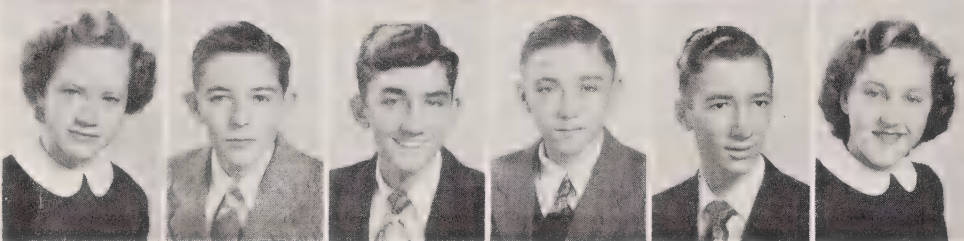
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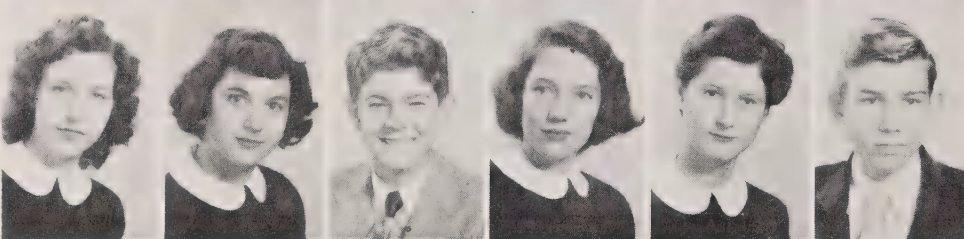
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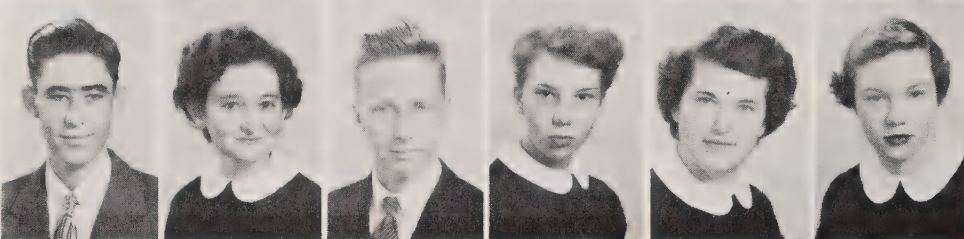
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ALBERT GADDY  
CHARLES HANNA  
JAMES HARWARD  
GAY HELMS



LORETTA HELMS  
ANNE HENRY  
JIMMY HENRY  
BETTY JEAN HILL  
NELLIE HILL  
EDWIN HINSON



GEORGE HONEYCUTT  
JESSIE RUTH HONEYCUTT  
LEONARD HONEYCUTT  
BETTY JEAN HOUGH  
CHARLOTTE HOWARD  
MARTHA HUNT



# Sophomores

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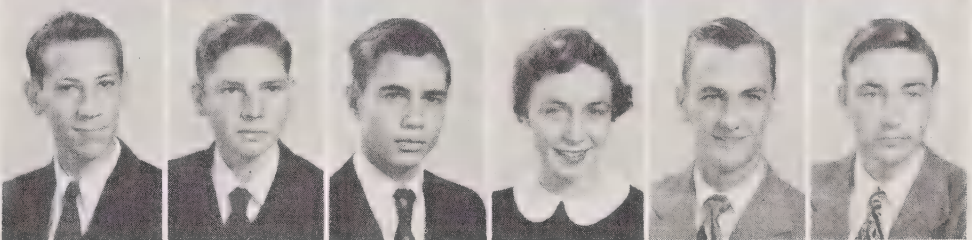
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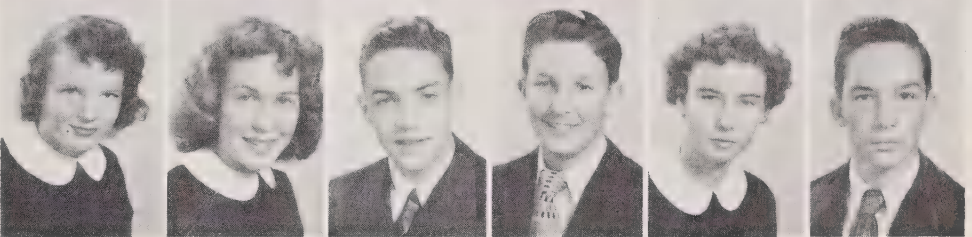
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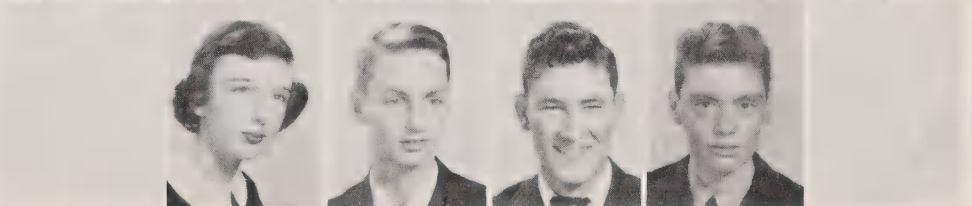
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JEANNE TREXLER  
VIRGINIA TYSON  
GEORGE WARNER



ANN WEBB  
TEDDY WILKINSON  
BENJAMIN WILLIAMS  
FREDDY WOOD





# *Freshmen*



*Left to right: Joan Moore, president, Kephart; Garrett Meeks, vice-president, York; Larry Smith, treasurer, Kephart; Janet Allen, secretary, Kephart; Nancy Howell, president, York; and L. L. Odom, vice-president, Kephart.*

As is usually the case, the Freshmen entered high school a bit confused; but soon, they settled down to work with Mr. David Kephart and Mr. Brantley York, their homeroom teachers, guiding them. Physical education, although a required subject, was a great favorite with the "beginners". Many members of the class got off to a good start by participating in sports, working on publications, and taking part in other extracurricular activities.

JANET ALLEN  
FRANCES ATKINSON  
DOROTHY ARLENE AUSTIN  
SHARLIA BRASINGTON  
CLAUDELLE BRIDGES  
DORIS BROCK  
JESSE BURR

BARBARA CAULDER  
SHIRLEY COLE  
BOBBY DABBS  
JUANITA DRIGGERS  
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MARGARET ANN HILDRETH

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SAM TREADAWAY  
ILA MAE TYSON  
TOMMY TYSON

FRANCES WALKER  
DICK WALLACE  
JOYCE WARD  
WILLIAM WARNER

# *Freshmen*







1. The Freshmen!!
2. Two heads are better than one.
3. Anything can happen!!
4. Two girls and a jeep!!!
5. Well! Well!
6. The Three Stooges!
7. Stick 'em up!!!
8. Fourth grade Freshmen!!
9. In Spring, a young man's fancy . . . !
10. After Booster Dance.
11. Uhm-m!!!
12. The Juniors get together!!



Just as killing dragons and rescuing fair ladies took up much of the knights' time, so our high school activities play an important part in our high school careers.



## *Activities*

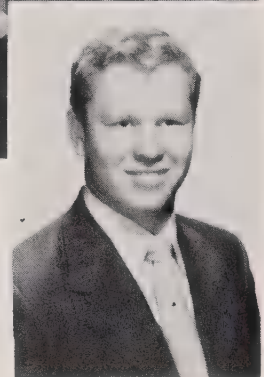


# The Student Council



## OFFICERS

<i>President</i> .....	MARSHALL RATLIFFE
<i>Vice-President</i> .....	JOHNNY ALLEN
<i>Secretary and Treasurer</i> .....	GWENDOLYN MAPLES
<i>Adviser</i> .....	MR. J. C. BAUCUM



*Left to right, sitting:* Tonie Bowers, Doris Brock, Jimmy Vick, Johnny Allen, Marshall Ratliffe, Gwen Maples, Nancy Jane Allen, Peggy Joyce Odom, and Lula Ann Pope.  
*Standing:* Joan Moore, Jeff Covington, and Anne Bryan Bowman.

The Student Council is composed of an adviser and of representatives from every homeroom in high school. The representatives are elected by the student body and are responsible for regulating traffic in the halls and lunch lines and for conducting fire drills. This year each member wore a green and white arm band to signify that he was a member of the council.

# Publications



Left to right: Nancy McQuague, Editor of *Hi-Ways*; Mary Anne Wall, Business Manager of *Hi-Ways*; Katharine Childs, Business Manager of *The Student Prints*; Betsy Liles, assistant editor of *The Student Prints*; Miss Caraway, adviser; Joe Burroughs, editor of *The Student Prints*; and Joyce Morton, assistant editor of *Hi-Ways*.

The publications of Wadesboro High School, **The Student Prints** and the **Hi-Ways**, offer sound training in the development of character, leadership, and reasoning. These publications, both the newspaper and the yearbook, are entirely self-supporting and are exclusively run by the students under the guidance of Miss Hermine Caraway, adviser. Both publications are members of the Columbia Scholastic Press Association, the Southern Interscholastic Press Association, and the North Carolina Scholastic Press Institute. Nancy McQuague, editor of **Hi-Ways**, served as vice-president of the N. C. S. P. I. in 1950, Pat Beachum, junior assistant editor, was elected vice-president for 1951.

In the C. S. P. A. competition, the 1950 **Hi-Ways** received a first place rating. **The Student Prints** received a first place rating in typography from the C. S. P. A. The paper also won the first place S. I. P. A. trophy and the first Scholastic Press Award of the Associated Dailies of North Carolina.



# Hi-Ways



## EDITORIAL STAFF

*Left to right, sitting: Claudia Covington, Joyce Morton, Senior Assistant Editor, and Nancy McQuague, Editor. Standing: Miss Caraway, Adviser, Pat Beachum, Junior Assistant Editor, Frank Davis, and Joan Moore.*



## BUSINESS STAFF

*Left to right, sitting: Jeanne Wagoner, Libby Overton, Assistant Business Manager, and Mary Anne Wall, Business Manager. Standing: Janet Allen, Billy Joe Tucker, Lula Ann Pope, and Peggy Joyce Odom.*



# Student Prints



## EDITORIAL STAFF

*Left to right, sitting:* Barbara Jones, Fred Mangum, *Sports Editor*, Jeanne Wagoner, *Joke Editor*, Miss Caraway, *Adviser*, Joe Burroughs, *Editor*, Betsy Liles, *Assistant Editor*, Fred Allen, Foye Lowe, *Assistant Editor*, and Johnny Ratliffe, *Cartoonist*. *Standing:* Henry Teal, Anne Bryan Bowman, Lula Ann Pope, Mary Jane Liles, Mary Plyde Marsh, Nancy Morrison, Anne Tice, Genet Little, Claudia Covington, Ben Covington, Buddy Liles, Nancy McQuague, Mary Wingate, Billy Blue, and Jo Ann Curlee.

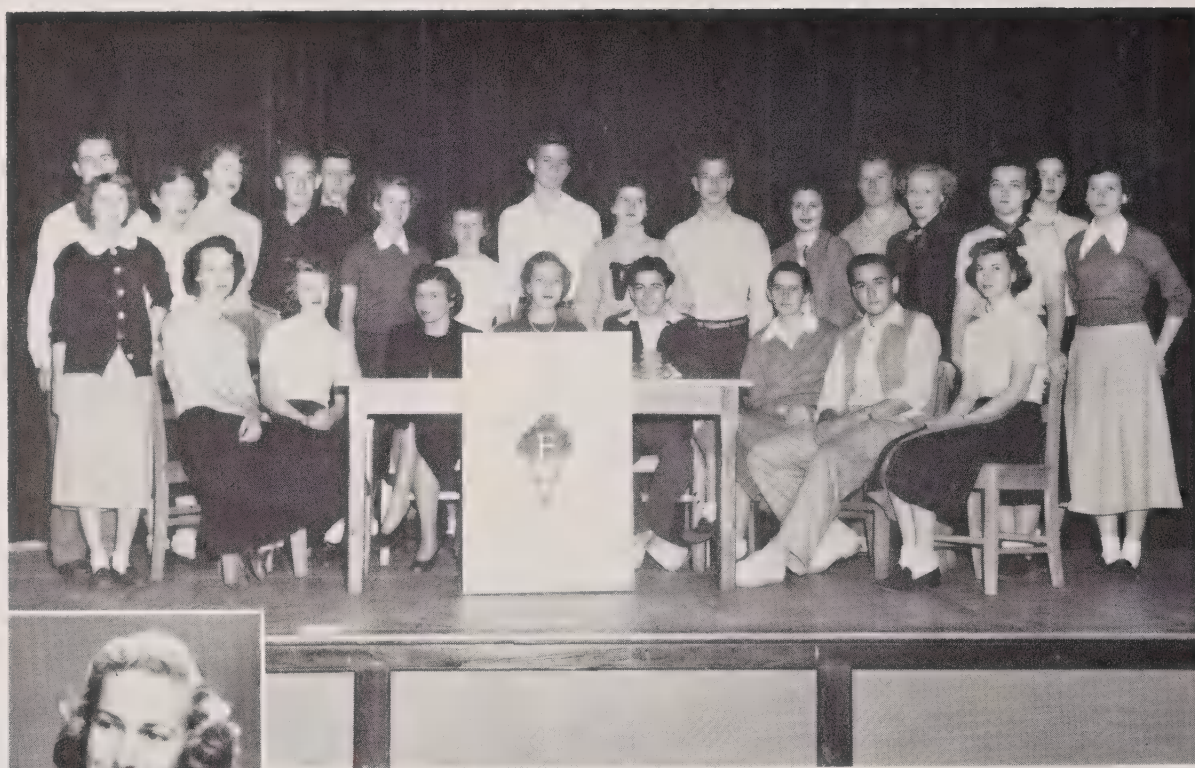


## BUSINESS STAFF

*Left to right, sitting:* Margaret Burch, Claudia Covington, Sarah Allen, Becky Jo Hill, *Assistant Business Manager*, Katharine Childs, *Business Manager*, Gwen Maples, Jane Little, and Nancy Howell. *Standing:* Shirley Honeycutt, Ben Covington, Phyllis Gantt, and Peggy Jean Mayhew.



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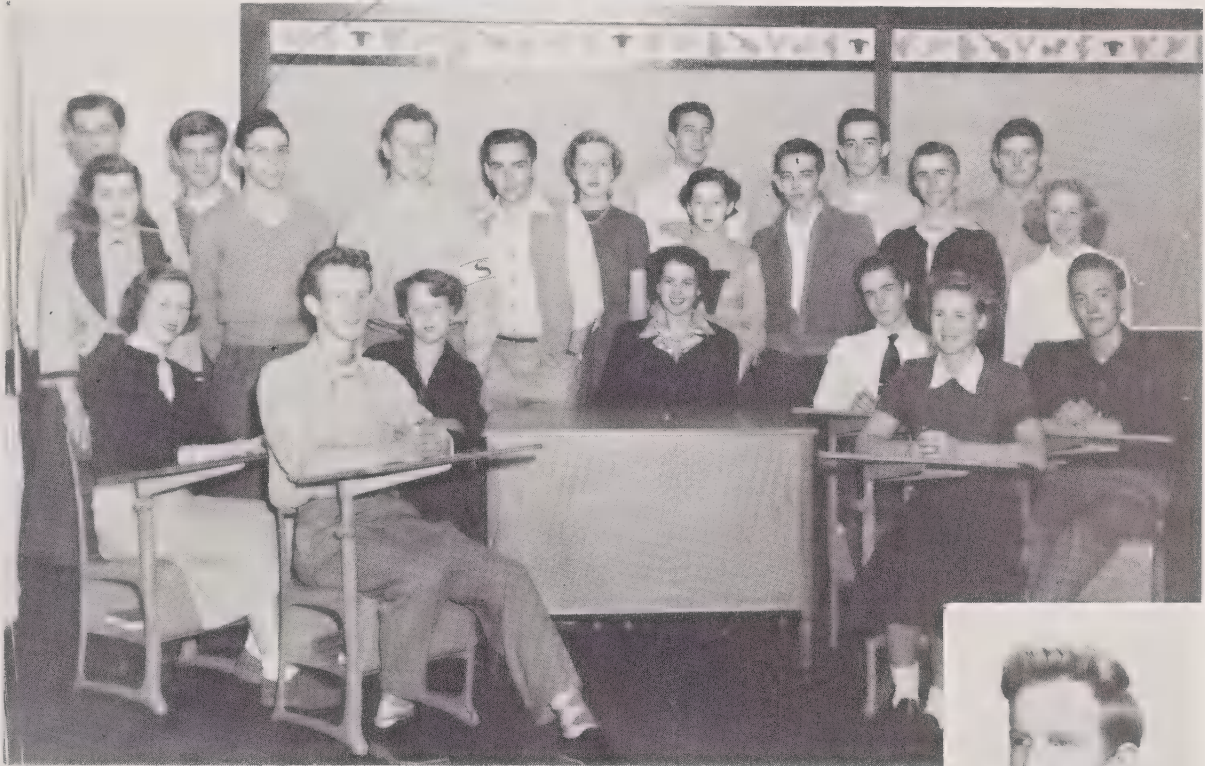


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*Secretary and Treasurer* ..... MARY HELEN COLEY  
*Adviser* ..... MISS ELIZABETH BARKER

*Left to right, sitting:* Katharine Childs, Mary Helen Coley, Miss Barker, Nancy McQuague, Hugh Baker, Jeanne Wagoner, Carl Jarrell, Betsy Liles. *Standing:* Ben Covington, Martha McRae, Anne Bryan Bowman, Margaret Reynolds, Joe Burroughs, Billy Joe Tucker, Sarah Allen, Shirley Honeycutt, Fred Allen, Carolyn Austin, Buddy Liles, Margaret Burch, Marshall Ratliffe, Foye Lowe, Mary Anne Wall, Libby Overton, and Becky Jo Hill.

The Beta Club is the honor society of Wadesboro High School which selects its members on the basis of scholastic achievement, leadership, and character. This year the scholastic average required for admission into the club was raised from eighty-five to ninety. Meeting on the second Monday of each month, this club had many worthwhile projects. Funds were raised by the selling of purple and gold beanies and the presentation of a short play. Under the sponsorship of the Wadesboro chapter, an Anson County Beta Club was formed.

# Spanish Club



*President*.....ALBERT ALLEN

*Secretary and Treasurer*.....SARAH ALLEN

*Adviser*.....MISS FRANCES DELAMAR

*Left to right, sitting:* Phyllis Gantt, Albert Allen, Jeanne Trexler, Miss DeLamar, Ben Covington, Sarah Allen, and Joe Burroughs. *Standing:* Mac Hardison, Dawn Lovette, Johnny Allen, Fred Mangum, Marshall Ratliffe, Carl Jarrell, Nancy McQuague, Baxter Coggin, Joyce Morton, Freddy Gray, Johnny Ratliffe, Tibett Meeks, Bobby Patterson, and Julia Hasty.

The Spanish Club is made up entirely of second year Spanish students. It was organized in 1947 by Miss DeLamar, who teaches Spanish at W. H. S. Meetings are held once a month in the homes of the members.



# Booster Club



*President* ..... JEANNE WAGONER

*Vice-President* ..... KATHARINE CHILDS

*Secretary and Treasurer* ..... PAT BEACHUM

*Left to right, front row:* Carolyn Austin, Mary Plyde Marsh, Peggy Jean Mayhew, Pat Beachum, and Foye Lowe. *Second row:* Jean Hightower, Mary Wingate, Sally Ann Wheatley, Ann Lively, Charlia Brasington, Jennie Lou Beck, Carolyn Huggins, Farrior Ashcraft, Glenda Allen, Janet Allen, Mary Grace Ratliffe, Ernestine Johnson, and Nancy McQuague. *Third row:* Jeanne Wagoner, Katharine Childs, Mary Anne Wall, Lula Ann Pope, Mary Lou Faulkner, Patsy Bivens, Betty Edgeworth, Gwen Maples, and Ann Webb. *Fourth row:* Libby Overton, Margaret Hildreth, Catherine Griggs, Peggy Joyce Odom, Becky Jo Hill, and Betsy Liles. *Fifth row:* Hugh Baker, Ben Covington, Joe Burroughs, Phyllis Gantt, Nancy Jane Allen, Nancy Howell, Margaret Burch, and Sarah Allen. *Sixth row:* Jeanne Trexler, Jessie Ruth Odom, Shirley Carter, Nell Jarman, Jane Little, Genet Little, Joan Moore, Barbara Jones, Sally Jo Coley, Margaret Sellars, Dot McLaurin, Johnny Ratliffe, Carl Jarrell, Bobby Patterson and Jeff Covington. *Seventh row:* Billy Blue, Buddy Liles, Fred Mangum, Fred Allen, Johnny Allen, Buck Harrington.

The purpose of the Booster Club is to support the Tiger teams and to boost pep and attendance at the ball games. Each year the club sponsors Homecoming or Booster Day. The 1950 Booster Day was observed on November tenth, when the Tigers played Cheraw. That afternoon there was a large parade, and following the game, there was a dance at the Anson County Country Club.

This year the Booster Club sponsored the only real homecoming event that W. H. S. has ever had. Class reunions were held by the last ten graduating classes.



# Monogram Club



*President* ..... FRED MANGUM  
*Vice-President* ..... JOHNNY ALLEN  
*Secretary and Treasurer* ..... MARY ANNE WALL  
*Advisers* ..... COACHES SHELTON AND HICKMAN

*Left to right, front row:* Jimmy Hough, Nancy McQuague, Betsy Liles, Carolyn Austin, Becky Jo Hill, Joyce Morton, Libby Overton, Foye Lowe, Mary Anne Wall, Katharine Childs, and Watt Harrington. *Second row:* Carl Jarrell, Fred Mangum, Fred Allen, Sarah Allen, Hugh Baker, and Gwen Maples. *Third row:* Bobby Patterson, Dwight Burr, Frank Davis, Buddy Liles, Haywood Lee, Ben Covington, and Joe Burroughs. *Fourth row:* Charles Harrington, Johnny Allen, Dossie Heavener, Billy Blue, Johnny Ratliffe. *Fifth row:* Donnie James, Buck Harrington, Jerry Leach, Coach Shelton, Albert Allen, Olin Scott, and Marshall Ratliffe.

The Monogram Club is made up of students who have earned their letters in some phase of inter-scholastic competition. This includes football, basketball, baseball, and debating. The Monogram Club is one of the oldest extra-curricular organizations at W. H. S., and the chief purpose of the club has always been to encourage other students to participate in activities in which they can earn a school letter.

The 1950-51 Monogram Club strove to be one of the most active organizations at W. H. S. For the first time the club had a definite program for the year.



# Glee Club



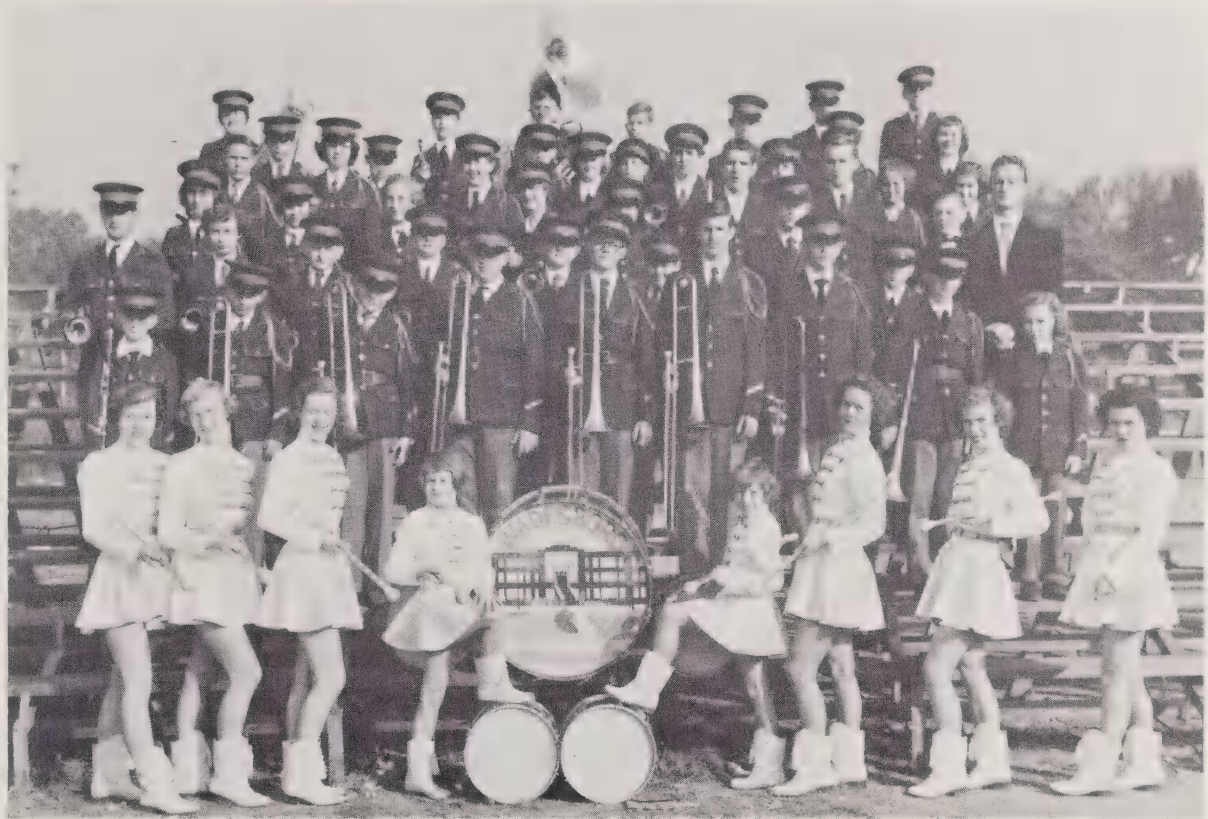
*Left to right, front row:* Ben Covington, and Miss Bailey. *Second row:* Claudia Carpenter, Anne Allen, Mary Helen Deese, Beatrice Caudler, Nancy Jane Allen, Ruby Ann Brown, Betty Jean Edgeworth, Mary Jane Crider, and Jessie Ruth Honeycutt. *Third row:* Julia Hasty, Shirley Kendall, Carolyn Austin, Dorothy McLaurin, Nellie Hill, Louise Burr, Sherrill Ballard, Phyllis Russell, Barbara Rogers, and Betty Jean Hill. *Fourth row:* Robert Webb, Frank Davis, Watt Harrington, Douglas Sellars, Bobby Baker, Elwyn Carter, Jackie Ray Cockman, Billy Coble, and Gary Teal.

## Officers

<i>President</i> .....	JACKIE RAY COCKMAN
<i>Vice-President</i> .....	HAROLD COCKMAN
<i>Secretary</i> .....	CLAUDIA CARPENTER
<i>Accompanist</i> .....	BEN COVINGTON
<i>Director</i> .....	MISS HOPE BAILEY

The highlights of the Glee Club's activities included the attendance of representatives at the North Carolina Music Conference in Greensboro, and the presentation of successful Christmas and Spring concerts. The group, under the direction of Miss Hope Bailey, also gave several performances in chapel and at P. T. A. meetings.

# Band



*Left to right, front row:* Martha Hunt, Barbara Jones, Phyllis Gantt, Sissy Hunt, Jane Lowe, Beatrice Caulder, Patsy Bivens, and Mae Glascock. *Second row:* Bobby Tice, Bennie Hill, Mac Gray, James Northcutt, Calvin Gaddy, Dick Griggs, Freddy Gray, Gene Baynard, and Anne Braswell. *Third row:* Henry Clay Treadaway, Alberta Teal, Haywood Preslar, Charles Long, Wayne Ingold, Sidney Kress, George Warner, and Mr. Grant. *Fourth row:* Louella Lipe, Jo Ann Curlee, Mary Wingate, Jean Hightower, Linda Hildreth, Baxter Coggin, Hampton Allen, and Calvin Hooks. *Fifth row:* Tommy Marsh, Libby Overton, Barbara Ratliffe, Joe Thompson, Sylvia White, Joe Staton, Jeanne Wagoner, Jo Ann Hildreth, Kathryn Wheless, and Anne Odom. *Sixth row:* Virginia Tyson, Don McRorie, Louie Fogleman, Lindsey Farris, Bradley Tyson, Bo Kitchen, Martin Horne, Jimmy Henry, and Harold Eddins.

## Officers

<i>President</i> .....	LIBBY OVERTON
<i>Vice-President</i> .....	HENRY CLAY TREADAWAY
<i>Secretary and Treasurer</i> .....	ALBERTA TEAL
<i>Chief Majorette</i> .....	PHYLLIS GANTT
<i>Director</i> .....	MR. HAROLD GRANT

For the first time since 1947, Wadesboro High School could "strike up the band". Forty-two members and eight majorettes, directed by Mr. Harold Grant, made their first appearance at the W. H. S. homecoming game on November tenth. This appearance was met with great enthusiasm by the students and others interested in the school.

Director and members alike really put forth the effort to make the band something to be proud of. They have done much to revive and build up school spirit at W. H. S.



# Debating Team

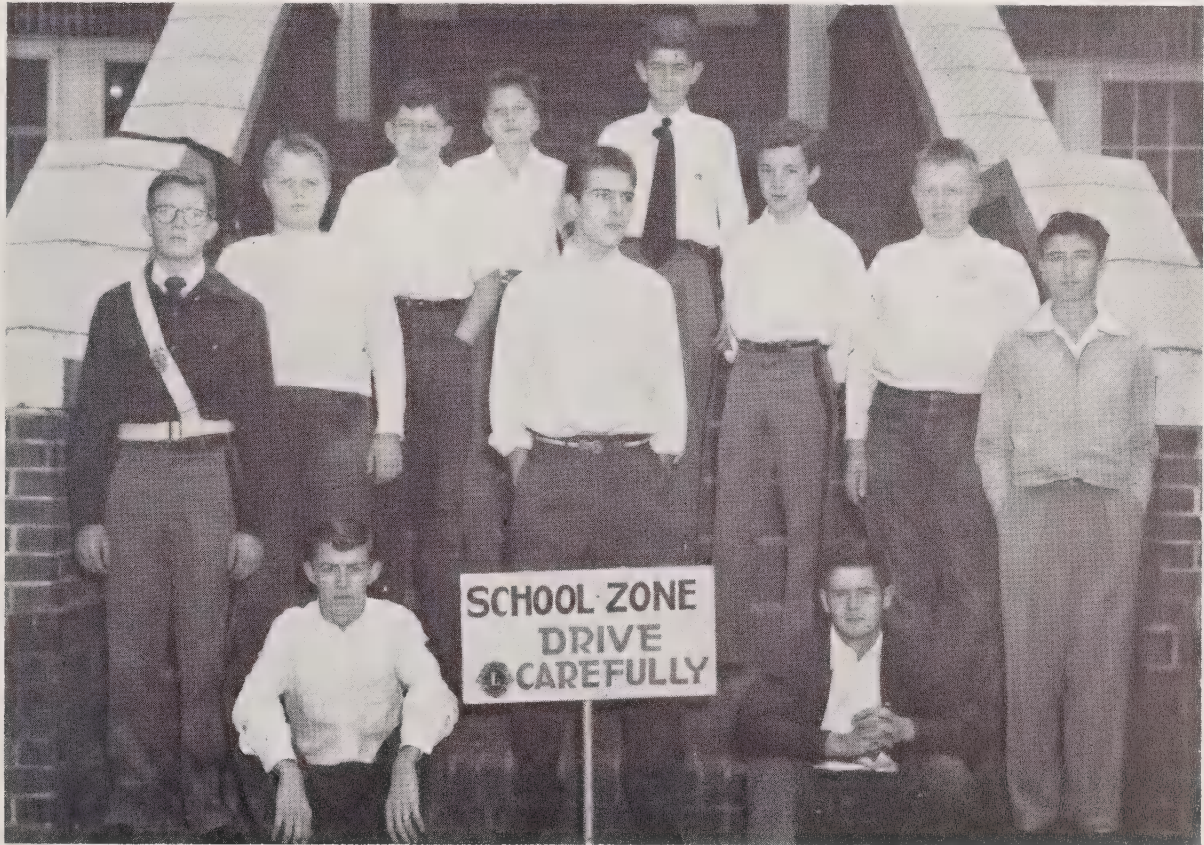


*Left to right:* Nancy Howell, Anne Tice, Mrs. Gaddy, Ernestine Johnson, and Claudia Covington.

Representing W. H. S. in the triangular debates were four new recruits of the sophomore and freshman classes. Freshman Anne Tice and Sophomore Claudia Covington defended the affirmative side of the debating query, "Resolved, that the American people should reject the Welfare State," while Freshmen Ernestine Johnson and Nancy Howell orated on the negative views.

Mrs. Roy Gaddy, serving her third year of coaching, and Mr. Brantly York were the team's advisers.

# Safety Patrol



*Left to right, front row:* J. T. McRae, Baxter Coggin, and Henry Clay Treadaway.  
*Second row:* Calvin Gaddy, Wilson Northcutt, Bradley Tyson, Charles Long, Jimmy Henry, Lindsey Farris, James Northcutt, and Charles Henry.

## Officers

<i>Captain</i> .....	HENRY CLAY TREADAWAY
<i>Lieutenant</i> .....	BAXTER COGGIN
<i>Sergeant</i> .....	GEORGE WARNER

It was the duty of the Safety Patrol to direct traffic at busy intersections and crossings and to help the smaller children to cross the streets. No matter what the weather, these boys were always on duty before and after school.

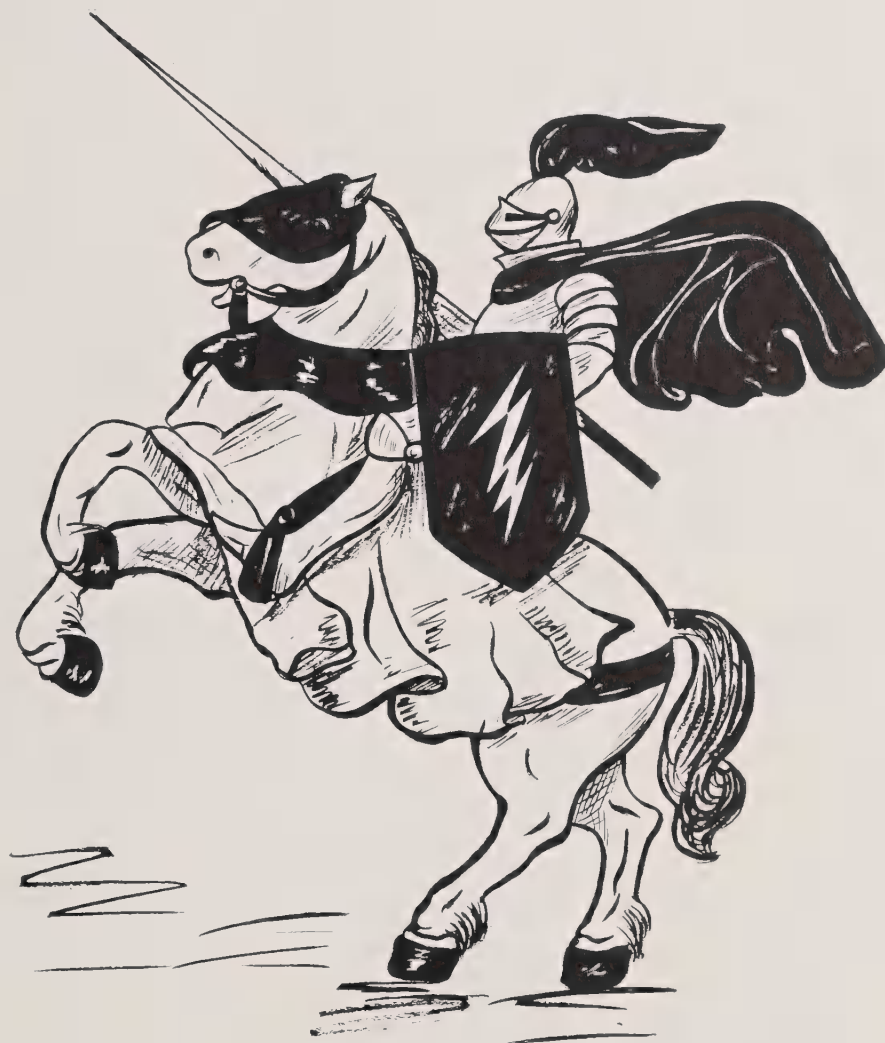




1. Stepping High!!
2. Come and get it!!
3. Beta Initiates!!!
4. Biology Class!
5. Professionals???
6. Could they be studying?
7. Football Sponsors.
8. Boston and Lucius!
9. Our adviser!
10. Mr. Burr.
11. Ship Ahoy!!
12. Elizabeth and Annabel!!!



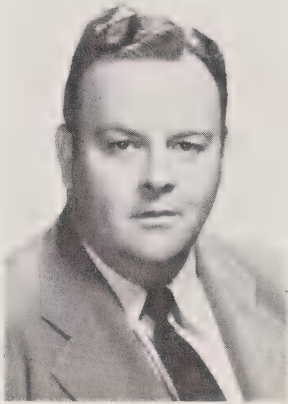
In jousts and tournaments, the knights displayed their skill in sports. We show our ability by participating in football, basketball, and baseball.



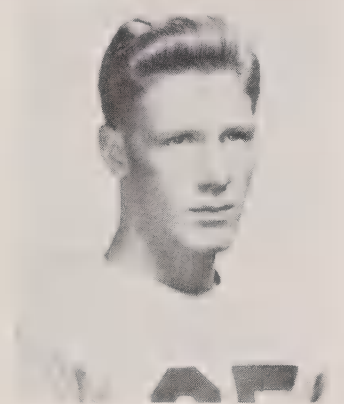
## *Sports*



# Wadesboro



J. RAY SHELTON  
*Coach*



BUDDY ROGERS, *Back*  
*Co-Captain*



FRED MANGUM  
*Back*

HUGH BAKER  
*Back*

ALBERT ALLEN  
*Guard*

BUDDY LILES  
*Center*

DWIGHT BURR  
*Back*

BILLY BLUE  
*Center*

BOBBY DAVIS  
*End*

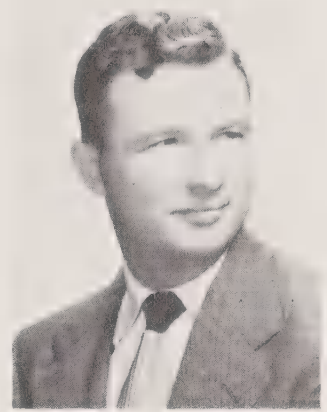
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*Tackle*

DOSSIE HEAVENER  
*Guard*

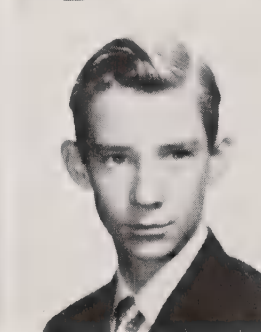
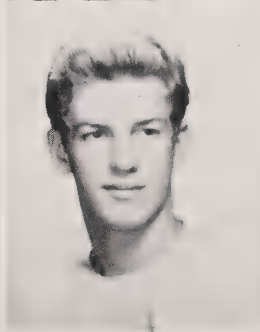
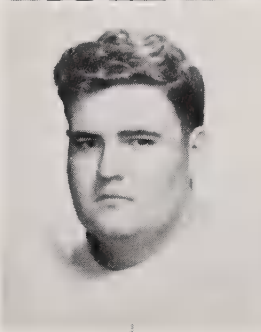
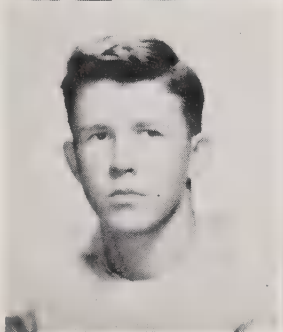
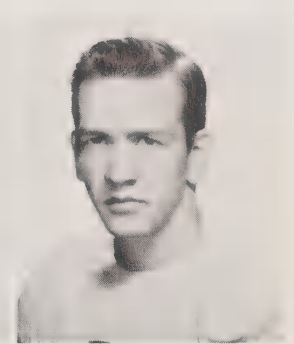
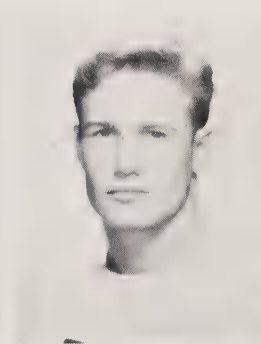
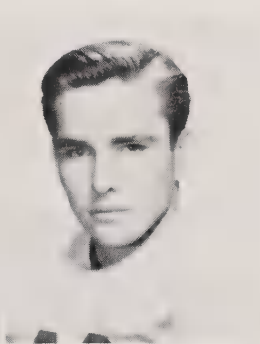
# Tigers



MARSHALL RATLIFFE  
*Guard, Co-Captain*



BOB HICKMAN  
*Asst. Coach*



CHARLES HARRINGTON    JOHNNY RATLIFFE    CARL JARRELL    JIMMY VICK    BILL RAY  
*Back                                  End                                  Back                                  Tackle                                  End*

JEFF COVINGTON    WILEY TEAL    JOHNNY ALLEN    FRANK DAVIS  
*Tackle                                  Tackle                                  Center                                  Manager*



# *The Season's Record*

The Wadesboro Tigers had a fair season this year. Playing an eleven-game schedule, they won five and lost six. The Sheltonmen got off to a bad start as they dropped four of their first five games, but they made a great comeback, by winning three in a row before they again tasted defeat.

In the season's opener at Monroe, the Tigers were surprised by a supposedly weak Python eleven and were the victims of a 7-6 upset. Baker carried the offensive load for Wadesboro as he scored their only touchdown on a ten yard end sweep. Ratliffe and Rogers were the defensive standouts.

The Tigers rebounded from their opening loss to trounce Dunn's Green Waves 27-13. Baker again starred, along with Jarrell and Rogers, in the backfield. Baker provided the game's thriller as he raced ninety-one yards for the Tigers' first touchdown. In the line, Allen and Vick were the mainstays, making many tackles.

In the third outing of the season, the Tigers were bumped 26-14 by Rockingham. Billy McKinnon proved to be too much for the injured Wadesboro squad.

Sanford's Yellow Jackets handed Wadesboro its third loss as they dumped the Tigers 18-0. Nevertheless, the Tiger line played a great game, spearheaded by tackles Teal and Odom.

The team journeyed to Charlotte with great determination and seemed to have a close 7-6 victory secured. However, with one minute left to play, Tech threw a long pass for a touchdown and the ball game. In the line, Ratliffe, Allen, and Vick were superb. It was Rogers, Jarrell, Burr, and Harrington in the backfield.

On Friday, October 13, the Tigers started their great comeback with a close 13-6 win over Hamlet. The Wades' offense began to click as it churned away for 256 yards. Baker was the offensive star in the backfield, along with Rogers and Jarrell. Ratliffe, Vick, and Allen combined with the rest of the forward wall to allow the Rams only 96 yards for the night.

On October 20, the Tigers had their second biggest scoring night of the season as they trounced Whiteville 25-6. Jarrell and Harrington paced the Tigers on offense, and Jimmy Vick was the star on defense.

The Wadesboro eleven continued their comeback trail as they dumped a highly favored Belmont team by 14-7. James was not to be stopped in the backfield, and Jarrell was also outstanding. Buck Harrington played a great defensive game for the Tigers along with Vick and Covington.

However, a week later, the Tigers were caught off guard by Laurinburg and as a result, handed their rivals a nice 12-7 victory. Chavis was the outstanding player for Laurinburg.

The W. H. S. team did manage to keep one record clean as they won their ninth straight homecoming game. They annihilated Cheraw 49-6. The stars of this game were much too numerous to mention.

The Tiger Varsity closed their season with a heartbreaking 7-6 loss to Albemarle. Dossie Heavener played a brilliant game at guard for the losers. Shrine and Optimist Bowler, Marshall Ratliffe, and Optimist Bowler, Buddy Rogers, either made or assisted in at least fifty percent of the tackles.

The Junior Varsity squad at Wadesboro High also played a rugged schedule. They faced six opponents and salvaged only one victory for the season. They played such teams as Albemarle, Rockingham, and Chesterfield. The Kittens gained their only win at the expense of Chesterfield by a score of 15-13. Although they had a poor season, several of the J. V.'s star performers are expected to make the big jump to varsity ball next year.

## *J. V. Football Team*



*Left to right, front row:* Don McRorie, Teddy Wilkinson, Larry Adcock, Tommy Tyson, Tommy Lowe, Runt Pegram, Johnny Hudson, Bo Kitchen, Tommy Hildreth, Wayne Ingold. *Second row:* Coach Hickman, Charles Henry, Mathy Davis, Dennis Robeson, Jimmy Allen, Dicky Wallace, E. P. Previtte, Edwin Hinson, and Calvin Gaddy.

## *J. V. Cheerleaders*



*Left to right:* Kathryn Wheless, Mira Short, Joan Moore, Tommy Marsh, Glenda Allen, Janet Allen, and Farrior Ashcraft.



# Girls' Basketball



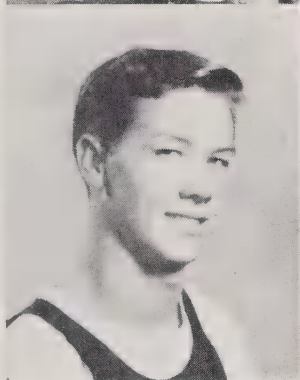
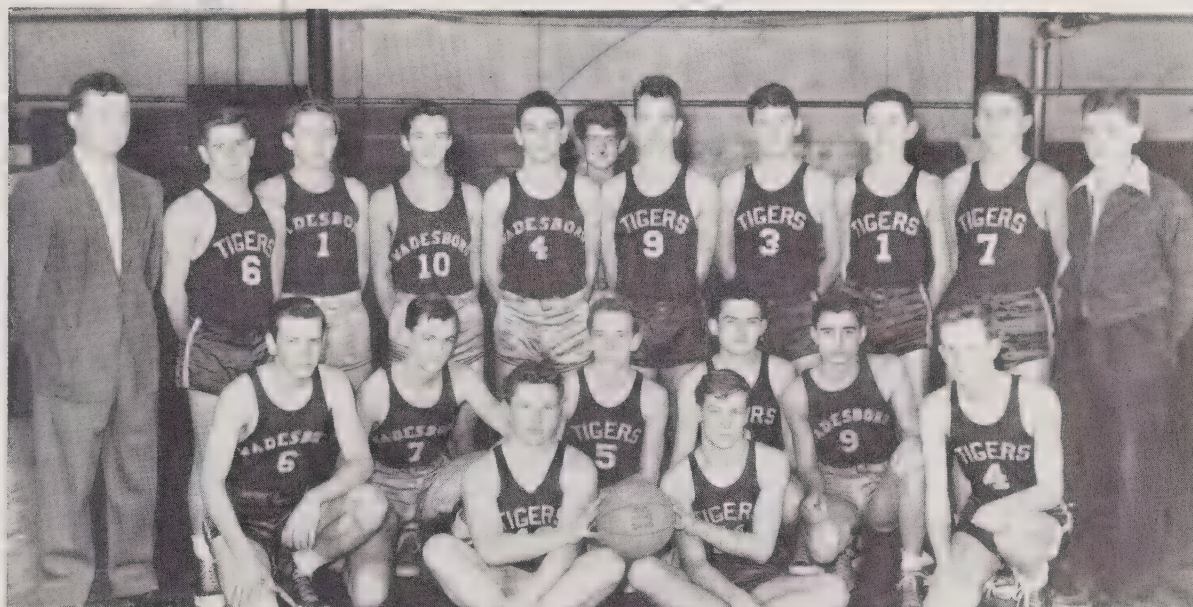
Co-Captains .....KATHARINE CHILDS  
 JEANNE WAGONER  
 Coach.....BOB HICKMAN  
 Manager.....GWEN MAPLES



*Left to right, kneeling:* Libby Overton, Katharine Childs, Jeanne Wagoner, Nancy McQuague, and Catherine Griggs. *Standing:* Coach Hickman, Barbara Rogers, Sarah Allen, Foye Lowe, Beatrice Caulder, Mary Plyde Marsh, Peggy Jean Mayhew, Becky Jo Hill, and Gwen Maples.

Nineteen games were scheduled for the 1951 girls' Basketball season. Only six veteran players returned to the squad from last year, but the many new-comers showed a great amount of ability on the playing court. An unusual feature of the regular season was that W. H. S. played no county teams. However, they did participate in the "March of Dimes" tournament in January and the County tournament held at the end of the season.

# Boys' Basketball



Co-Captains.....DONNIE JAMES  
MARSHALL RATLIFFE  
Coach.....BOB HICKMAN  
Manager.....FREDDY WOOD



*Left to right, sitting:* Marshall Ratliffe and Donnie James. *Kneeling:* Bill Ray, Benton Roper, Bobby Davis, Mathy Davis, Dennis Robeson, and Albert Allen. *Standing:* Coach Hickman, Henry Clay Treadaway, Charles Harrington, Jimmy Mills, Fred Mangum, Jimmy Henry, Buddy Liles, Bobby Patterson, Bill Blue, Jeff Covington, and Freddy Wood.

Wadesboro High's Tigers began their 1950-'51 season in December. From the beginning these boys showed a commendable amount of teamwork, as well as an outstanding ability in handling the ball. This spirited team was coached by Mr. Bob Hickman, who has been assistant coach at W. H. S. for two years. The Tigers also played in the "March of Dimes" tournament and the county tournament.



# Baseball Team



*Left to right, front row: Jerry Leach, Buddy Rogers, Richard Williams, Doug Britt, and Hugh Baker. Second row: Jimmy Hough, Marshall Ratliffe, Jimmy Vick, Watt Harrington, Jackie Ray Cockman, and Elwyn Carter. Third row: Coach Shelton, Haywood Lee, Buddy Liles, Donnie James, and Olin Scott, Manager.*

Coached by Coaches Shelton and Hickman, the 1950 Baseball team had a rather strenuous season. Playing a fifteen game schedule, the Tigers won eight and lost seven. All these players but one returned to the 1951 squad.

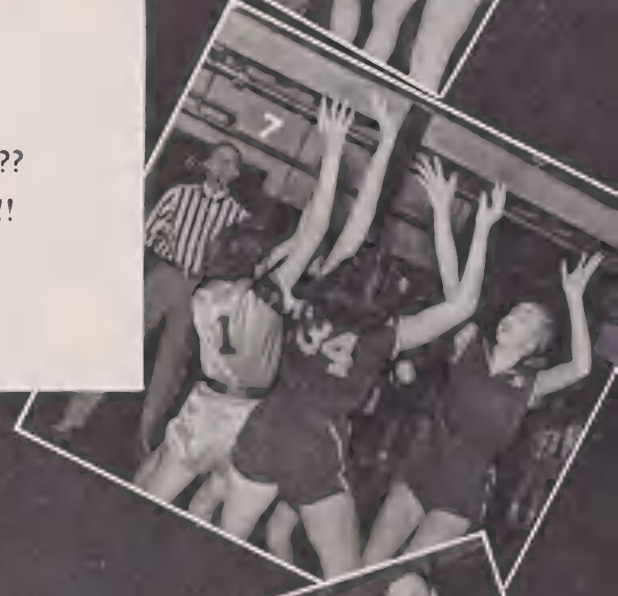
# Cheerleaders



*Left to right, front row: Watt Harrington, Pat Beachum, Mary Plyde Marsh, Foye Lowe, Joyce Morton, and Jimmy Hough, Chief. Second row: Carolyn Austin and Peggy Jean Mayhew.*

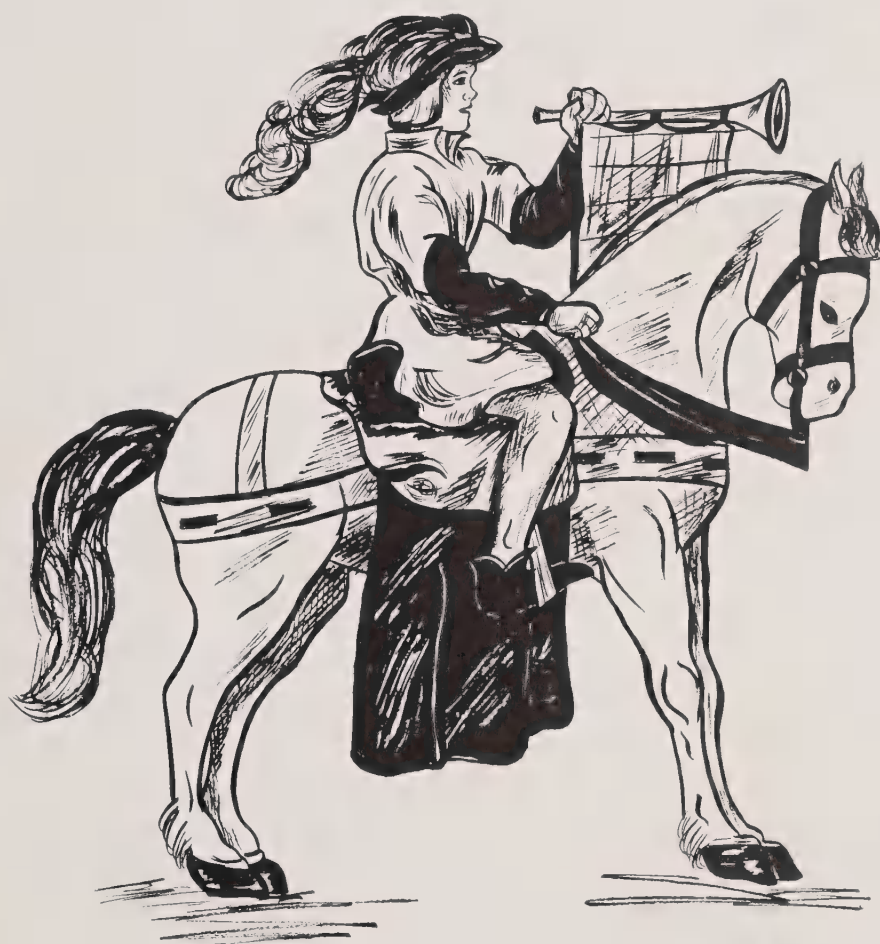
Although they received little praise, the cheerleaders were a vital part of the W. H. S. athletic program. Their tireless efforts to cheer the Tiger teams on to victory and their spirit and enthusiasm at the games did much to keep up the old school spirit. It was the cheerleaders who always managed to see that many Wadesboro fans attended the out-of-town football and basketball games.





1. Coaches give Co-Captains final instructions.
2. Tigers vs. Dunn
3. Get in there and fight!!
4. There goes the ball!!!
5. You CAN play ball (believe it or not)!!!
6. Cheerleaders lead a yell.
7. Upsy-daisy!!!
8. Could these be teachers???
9. Myrtle Mae (in disguise)!!
10. Brains vs. Brawn!!!

There is a time for work and a time for play. As in the days of chivalry, part of our time is spent in entertainment.



## *Features*



# Ladies of



PHYLLIS GANTT, *Queen*



MARY PLYDE MARSH

FOYE LOWE



The football team selected seven girls to sponsor them and out of these seven, a queen was chosen by monetary vote. These girls took part in colorful half-time activities.

# *the Court*



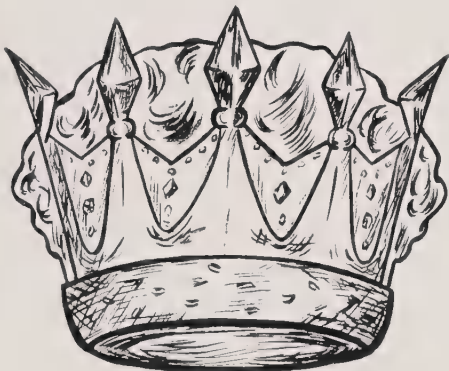
BECKY JO HILL



PAT BEACHUM



PEGGY JEAN MAYHEW



SARAH ALLEN



Each year the Booster Club sponsors a Booster or Homecoming Day which is observed the day of one of the home football games. Homecoming this year was on November tenth.





## *A Day*

1. Ugh! Morning Already???
2. Just time for a bite!
3. 8:29—better hurry!!
4. Hard at work? Ha!!!
5. Boy! Food!!!
6. Hooray! School's out!!
7. What would we do without Parsons?
8. The last lap before home.





## *At Court*

9. Studious or No??

10. Supper time for the dog too!!

11. The Gentleman and his girl.

12. Take me out to the ball game!!!

13. Those "Curve-In" Hamburgers!!!

14. Good Night!!

15. The Nightly Ritual.

16. Now the day is over!!







## *Activities of*

1. N. C. D. A. R. Regent, Miss Virginia Horne, looks over scrapbook of Anne Bryan Bowman, Good Citizenship Pilgrim.

2. New and old Vice-Presidents of the N. C. S. P. I.

3. Scene from "The Flower of the Ranch".

4. Junior-Senior, 1950.

5. Lieutenant Governor Pat Taylor congratulates Fred Allen, chief page of the N. C. Senate.

6. Mrs. Kenneth Horne presides over a P. T. A. meeting.

7. Glee Club's Christmas Concert.

8. The Revelers, Community Concert Performers.







## *the Court*

9. Scene from the Beta Play, "All Carrs to the Rescue".

10. School Board makes a law.

11. Baptist Seniors take tests under Dr. H. A. Scott, a Queens' psychologist.

12. Booster Dance.

13. Betty Jean Hough is crowned Carnival Queen by Jaycee President, John Crawford.

14. Miss Hermine Caraway and Joe Burroughs look over a plaque awarded to The Student Prints by the Associated Dailies of N. C.

15. Booster Queen, Phyllis Gantt.

16. Pat Beachum, W. H. S.'s representative to the Christmas Carousel.





# Record of Awards

## CITIZENSHIP CUP

Presented To Wadesboro High School By The Class of 1925  
Awarded on Four Ideals of Scholarship, Extra - Curricular Activities, Attitude Toward  
Teachers and Fellow Students

### WON BY

Henry Bennett .....	1925	Rowland Pruette .....	1937
Felda Hightower .....	1926	Mary Evelyn Morris .....	1939
Lee Gray .....	1927	Frank Pruette .....	1940
Woodrow Caligan .....	1928	Ann Lockhart .....	1941
Hal Atkinson .....	1929	Charles Stevens .....	1942
Julia Stanback .....	1930	Lomie Lou Mills .....	1943
Boyce Covington .....	1931	Caroline Gullede .....	1944
Hermine Caraway .....	1932	Anna Jane Ingram .....	1945
Marion Craig .....	1933	Neale Kelly .....	1946
Susannah Thomas .....	1934	Daisy Ruth Faulkner .....	1947
Helen Sue Richardson and James Edwards .....	1935	Hank Wall .....	1948
Effie Allen .....	1936	Fetzer Mills .....	1949
Fred Mangum .....	1950		

## SUPERINTENDENT'S SCHOLARSHIP CUP

### HIGHEST SCHOLASTIC ATTAINMENT

### WON BY

Hermine Caraway .....	1933	Mary Elizabeth Davis .....	1942
Marion Craig .....	1934	Christine Gray .....	1943
Harriet Rose .....	1934	Frances Ashcraft .....	1944
Ethel York Kiker .....	1935	Sarah Margaret Tucker .....	1945
Roberta Dunlap .....	1936	Margaret Ann Wingate .....	1946
Hazel Kiker .....	1937	Bobby Burroughs .....	1947
Ann Hardison .....	1939	Betty Grey Harrington .....	1948
Armantine Dunlap .....	1940	Margaret McRae .....	1949
Charles Allen, Jr. ....	1941	Bobby Pratt .....	1950

## CIVITAN CITIZENSHIP MEDAL

The Civitan Citizenship Medal is presented to the Senior for his or her citizenship  
qualities during the four years in high school

### WON BY

Marion Craig .....	1934	Vallie Lowe .....	1943
Donnell Davidson .....	1935	John Blake Watson .....	1944
Helen Sue Richardson .....	1936	Wilton Shealy Lewis .....	1945
Marvin Murray .....	1937	Walter Mitchell .....	1946
Ann Hardison .....	1939	H. M. Maples .....	1947
Walter Mangum .....	1940	Daisy Ruth Faulkner .....	1948
Herbert Burns .....	1941	Phil Robinson .....	1949
Joseph Fellers .....	1942	Delores Short .....	1950

## ATHLETIC TROPHY

Presented To Wadesboro High School By The Student Council  
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### WON BY

Gene Winfree .....	1941	Harold Edwards .....	1946
Pickett Stanback .....	1942	Albert Polston .....	1947
Vallie Lowe .....	1943	Perry Tucker .....	1948
Harry Dickson May .....	1944	Hank Wall .....	1949
Richard Clark and Bill Tice .....	1945	Joe Harkey .....	1950

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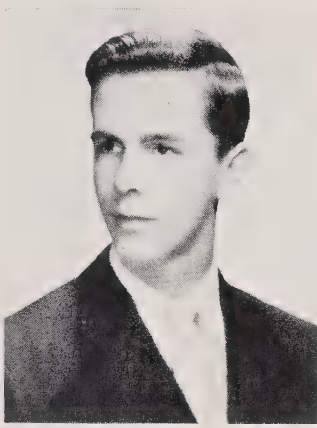
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BEN COVINGTON  
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We, the Senior Class of 1951, having run the last mile (from the school to the drug store) and being of somewhat unstable mental capacity, but desiring to be remembered by posterity, do hereby make, execute, and publish this our last will and testament.

To our beloved superintendent, Mr. Wildermuth, who has so gallantly led and directed our high school careers, we bequeath our heartfelt respect and sincere thanks.

To Mr. Baucom, our principal, "in all sincerity", we wish to leave our hearts full of gratitude for his help, and our hopes for a more orderly and cooperative group in the future.

To our home room teachers, Miss Sturgis and Miss Caraway, we leave a box of aspirin, and a word of sincere thanks for the extra hours they have given us and all the numerous things they have done for us.

To the members of the faculty of W. H. S., we do leave all the "fond" memories of our high school escapades, and a book of praise for their heroic stand in combating those escapades.

To the Junior Class, we leave what is left of our home rooms, record player, and those highly coveted "senior privileges".

To the Sophomores, we bequeath the privilege of being in that marvelous Junior Class with all the fun of planning "the best Junior-Senior yet".

To the Freshmen, we leave the hope that their four years will be as genuinely beneficial and glorious as ours have been.

The seniors listed below do most generously and willingly leave some of their rare individual traits to the underclassmen for the "betterment" of the school at large.

I, Albert Allen, do leave my office of President of the Senior Class to the one Junior so fortunate.

We, Freds, Allen and Mangum, do leave our unique horse-laughs and abilities to apply our good horse sense, to Johnny Allen and Bobby Patterson.

## Fiefs

*(Nobles in the feudal age entrusted tracts of land and other possessions to those who had not reached the rank of noble themselves. These grants were called fiefs. Likewise, the noble Seniors leave certain privileges and possessions to those whom they leave behind at W. H. S.)*

We, Frank Davis and Betsy Liles, do give our ability to arrive at school at 8:36, to Pat Beachum and Freddy Gray.

We, Nancy McQuague and Joe Burroughs, do bequeath our ability to burn the midnight oil studying, to Shirley Honeycutt and Libby Overton.

We, Hugh Baker and Jimmy Hough, do leave our love for women to Jimmy Mills and George Harrington.

We, Tibett Meeks and Martha McRae, do leave our large caps and gowns to Douglas Sellars and Louise Threadgill.

We, Betsy Liles and Mary Anne Wall do leave our accents and our abilities to talk about "cute" boys to Nancy Jane Allen and Patsy Bivens.

We, Marshall Ratliffe, Buddy Rogers, Albert Allen, and Gwen Maples, do leave our lovely scarlet curly locks to Becky Jo Hill and Phyllis Gantt.

We, Carl Jarrell and Haywood Lee, do leave to Shirley Carter and Robert Webb, our ability to tell those wild jokes and "stories of interest".

We, Billy Joe Tucker and Mac Hardison, do leave our unique ability to get excuses for almost anything "Okayed by J. C. B.", to Peggy Joyce Odum, Robert McLaurin, and Gary Teal.

We, Dossie Heavener, Dwight Burr, Harold Cockman, and Lorene Williams, do leave our harmonious voices to Carolyn Austin, Nancy Jane Allen, Jackie Ray Cockman, and Betty Edgeworth.

We, Johnny Ratliff and Olin Scott, do bequeath our duet of laughter to Julia Hasty and Dick Griggs.

We, Jeanne Wagoner and Bennett Faulkner, do leave our quiet, reserved manners to Jack Thomas and Beatrice Cranford.

We, Sarah Allen and Katharine Childs, do leave our strange ability of holding one man, to Peggy Mayhew and Mary Anne Brower.

We, Nancy McQuague and Mae Glascock, do leave our ability to keep our oral cavities propped wide open continuously, to Foye Lowe and Carolyn Austin—although they don't need it.

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Hard work, but loads of fun, built the next rung. The Junior Play and the Junior-Senior banquet on a pirate ship anchored off Treasure Island gave added spirit to our work. Nancy McQuague had now become our best carpenter for driving the nails of scholarship, and Fred Mangum, of Citizenship, while others excelled in driving the nails of sports, journalism, etc. All four members of the debating team were juniors; and Joe Burroughs and Fred Allen, affirmative speakers, won the district championship and participated in the state finals. Ben Covington was accompanist for the Glee Club and played for the chapel programs. Nancy McQuague did all the art work on the *Hi-Ways* which won a first place rating from the Columbia Scholastic Press Association. Nancy also was elected vice-president of the North Carolina Scholastic Press Institute for 1950. Joe Burroughs, associate editor of *The Student Prints*, attended the Southern Inter-scholastic Press Association Convention, at Washington and Lee University.

And now, as busy, "dignified" seniors, with two homerooms for the first time, we drive home the last nail in the first great part of our ladder. We have been well instructed in the construction of our last two rungs by Miss Carrie Sturgis, Miss Hermine Caraway, Mrs. Mildred Johnson, Miss Frances DeLamar, Miss Evelyn Bullard, Coach Bob Hickman, Coach Ray Shelton, Mrs. Evelyn Thomas, Mr. John Rawls, Mrs. Gertrude Wall, Miss Hope Bailey, Mr. Harold Grant, Mr. William Todd, Mr. Brantley York, and Mrs. Sara Farmer.

Professional carpenters have made our scholastic building easier by constructing four new classrooms in which to work. Joe Burroughs is editor of *The Student Prints*, Nancy McQuague is editor of the *Hi-Ways*, Buddy Rogers played in the Optimist Bowl, and Marshall Ratliffe played in the Optimist and Shrine Bowls. Anne Bryan Bowman went on the D.A.R. Good Citizenship Pilgrimage, and Fred Allen was appointed chief page of the N. C. Senate. A few have missed a step along the way, but they are not far below us as we climb.

And so, now we stand on the twelfth rung of our partially constructed ladder. Thus far we have succeeded, but as we lift our eager gaze to the future, we see that we have only begun to "build the ladder by which we climb" to mortal greatness.

May we all have the strength, courage, determination, and ambition to build each succeeding rung strong, so that there will be no falling back before we reach our goals.

# MERLIN'S MEDITATIONS

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presidents—H. C. Hasty, Tibett Meeks, Jimmy Vick, Jimmy Turner, Olin Scott, and Bill Short.

Just then one of the top TV programs flashed on. "Break the Contestant" was featuring Albert Allen, another member of the class of '51. Albert has a sparkling show with a line of chorus cuties. His extra special jackpot was two weeks in Wadesboro, exciting showplace of the nation, with all expenses paid. I had just adjusted the dials when Mr. Allen introduced his next contestants who were six spruced up school teachers and old classmates—Mary Anne Wall, Gwendolyn Maples, Sarah Allen, Martha McRae, Jeanne Wagoner, and Margaret Burch. Martha explained that she was a kindergarten teacher and Jeanne asserted she was a physical education director. The other four were high school instructors.

The next hour my teevee set took me to a fashion show where I glimpsed glamorous Parisian fashions. The latest creations were modeled by Lena Hough and Claudia Carpenter. These smart designs were manufactured by Ratliffe Fashions, headed by Johnny Ratliffe and his assistant Dick Wheless.

Last on the TV schedule was a scene from a local church. Evening devotional services were being conducted by the pastor, Joe Burroughs. As Joe delivers his sermon, I recall how the class of '51 has traveled and climbed their steep ladder into the spotlight of the world. Then I slowly arose and turned off the television with the thought of how my classmates had endeavored to achieve their ideals of youth—going ever forward, seeking to build a world of good will, democracy, and peace.

And I marveled what a powerful and mysterious antenna towered on my roof, for you see, all this happened the night before the Senior Graduation, May 31, 1951.

# FIEFS

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We, Margaret Burch, Mary Helen Coley, and Margaret Burns, do leave our quiet and polite ways to Margaret Reynolds and Billy Coble.

We, Baxter and Joyce Coggin, bequeath our good dispositions and ability to "make the grade"



to the Juniors so lucky.

I, Anne Bryan Bowman, do leave "Snake" to the one who is patient enough to endure and survive him, and all my talents to the one who is smart enough to acquire them.

We, Margaret Sellars and Betty Jo Tyson, do leave our big ways and jokes to Nell Jarman and Agnes James.

We, Lena Hough and Ann Helms, do leave our deep bass voices to Jerry Tyson, Larry Starling, and Jack Jenkins.

We, Marshall Ratliff, Buddy Rogers, James Vick, Fred Mangum, Albert Allen, Hugh Baker, Dwight Burr, Dossie Heavener, Carl Jarrel, and Johnny Ratliff, do leave our empty places on Coach Shelton's ball club to Donnie James, Buddy Liles, and George Harrington.

We, Bobby Baker and Dick Wheless do leave

our out-of-town address books to Betty Lou Barber and Micky Bowers.

We, Jimmy Turner, John Muldrow, and Erwin Rayle, do leave our sincerity to Phyllis Russell and Georgia Hanna.

We, Claudia Carpenter, Jerry Leach, and Ray Martin, do bequeath our friendliness to Ned Griggs, Charles Henry, Betty Jean Rogers, and Billy Brower.

We, Elwyn Carter, Roger Davis, and H. C. Hasty, now becoming thoroughly bored with this document, do hereby leave the hope that next year's will and testament will be much shorter, clearer, and more concise than this one.

I, Ben Covington, leaving my desire for the Juniors' success and my hope that they will build high the ladder by which they rise, do sign, seal, scotch-tape, and bury this the last will and testament of the Senior Class of '51.

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I hope you  
has been much  
fun and I wish  
it didn't have to end  
so soon. Ha! Hope to  
have many good times this  
summer. Lot of luck to a  
sweet guy. Ben J.

Dear Hugh,  
We sure forgot  
this year and all the  
wonderful times (especially  
that surprise party). Best  
of luck always.  
Love  
M. Burch

Dear Hugh,  
Lots of luck  
to you and here's  
hoping you live  
a very happy and  
prosperous life.  
Love,  
Lena

Dear Hugh  
We sure have  
had a lot of fun  
these last few years  
skipping school and  
shooting pool. Don't  
forget the time we  
stayed in Monroe.  
Best of luck to  
a swell guy.

Jimmy Hough

Hugh,  
it has been a  
real pleasure to be in  
high school with you and  
to play football with you.  
I use up the good work through  
out life and I know you  
will be and have a huge success.  
Love

Hugh, really enjoyed being  
I have school and playing baseball  
with you. Never will best  
rest Monroe. The to you.  
everything, Jaywood



